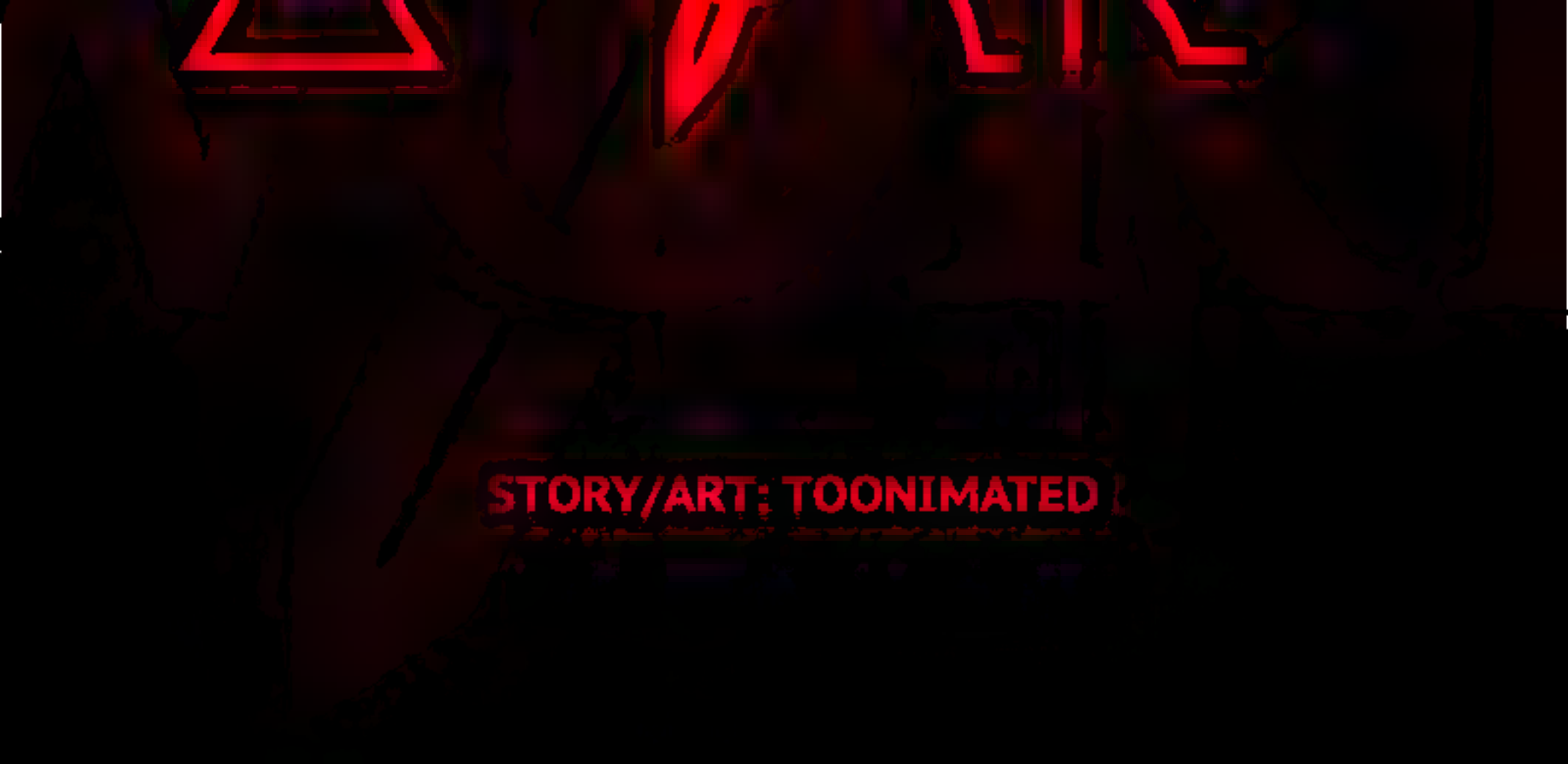
don't forget to turn your sound on!

Specials

Stretch

CRACK

WE'RE
HIT!!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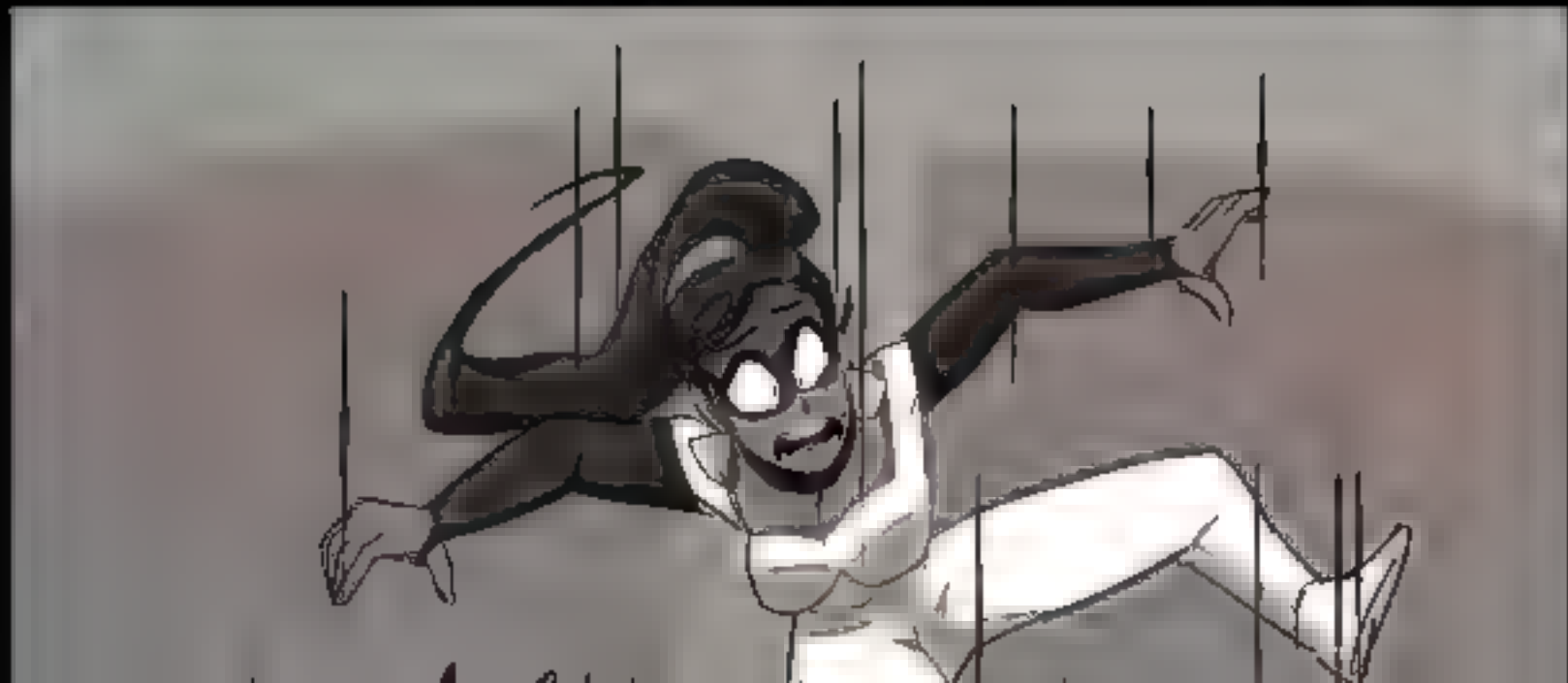
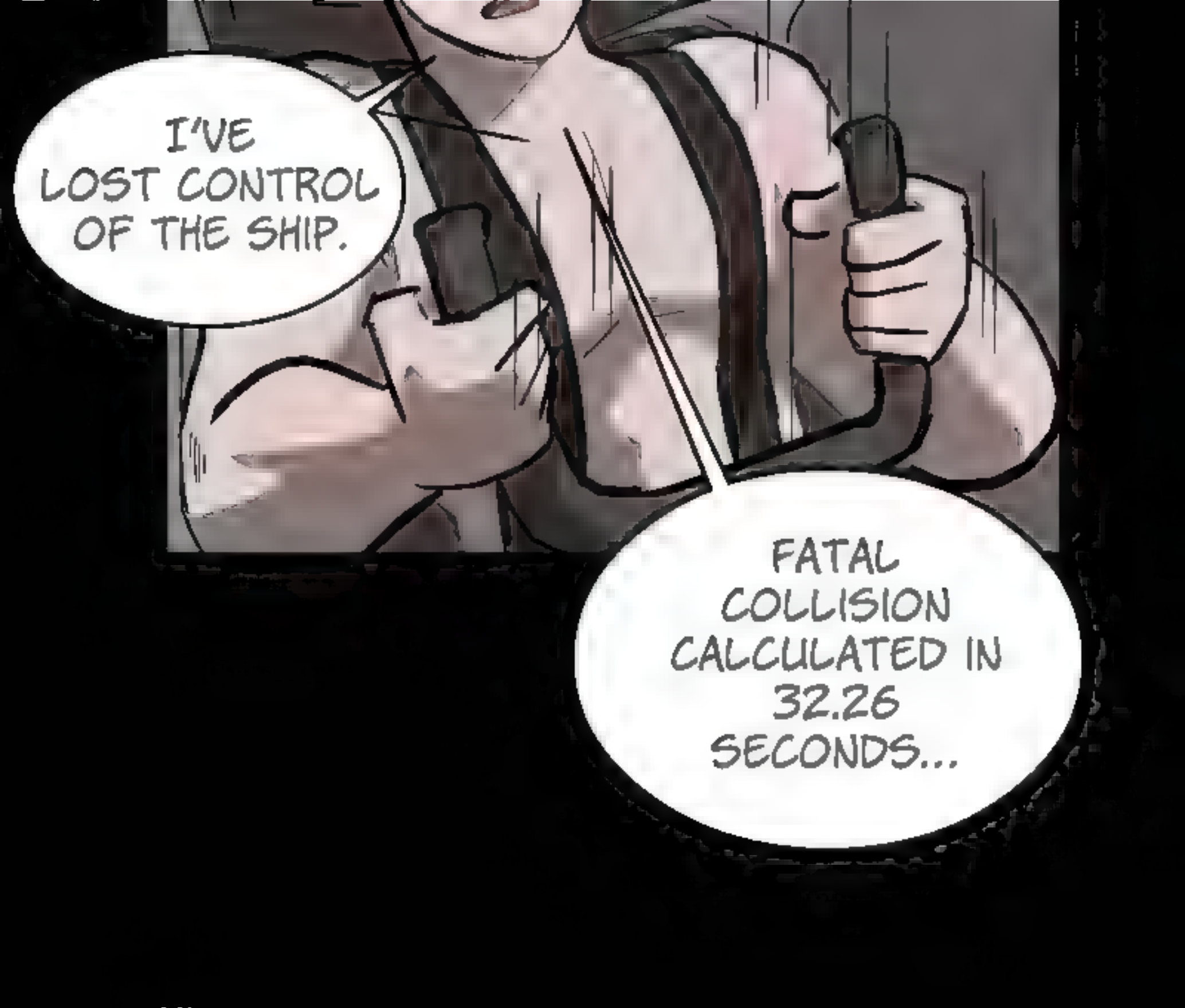
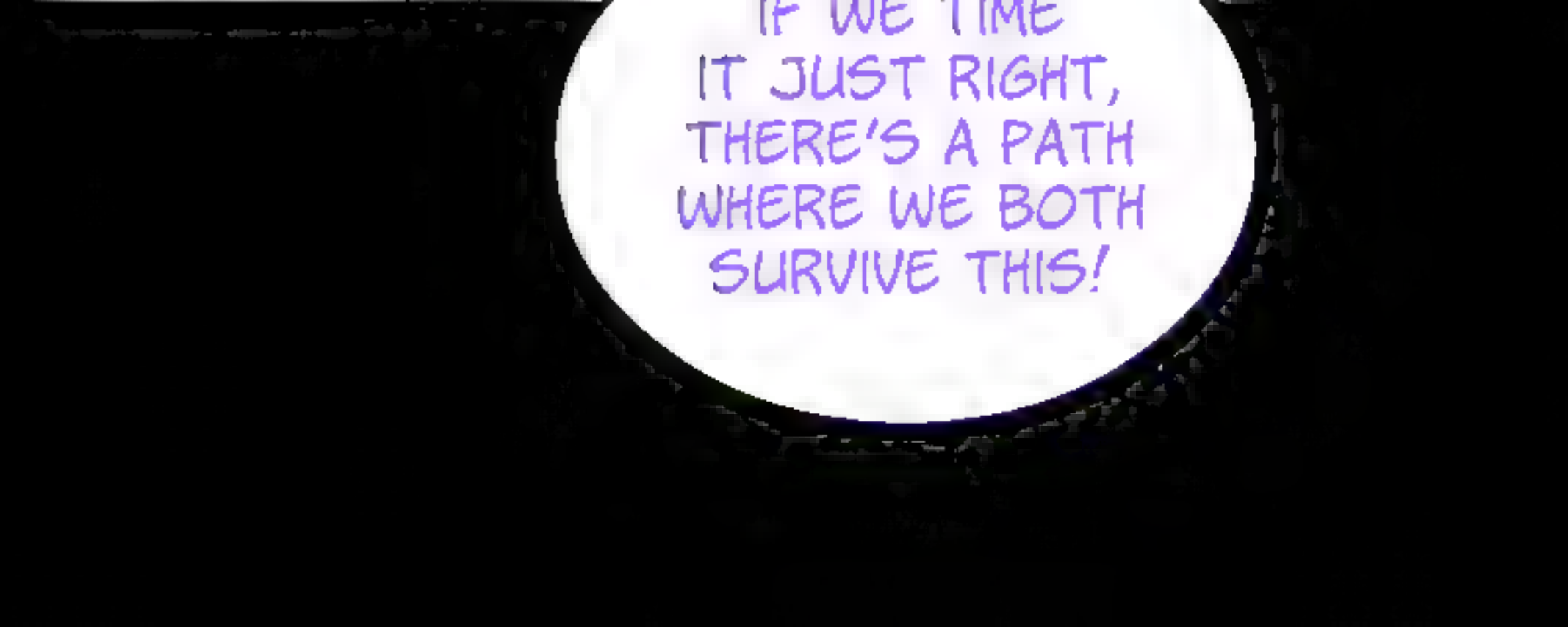


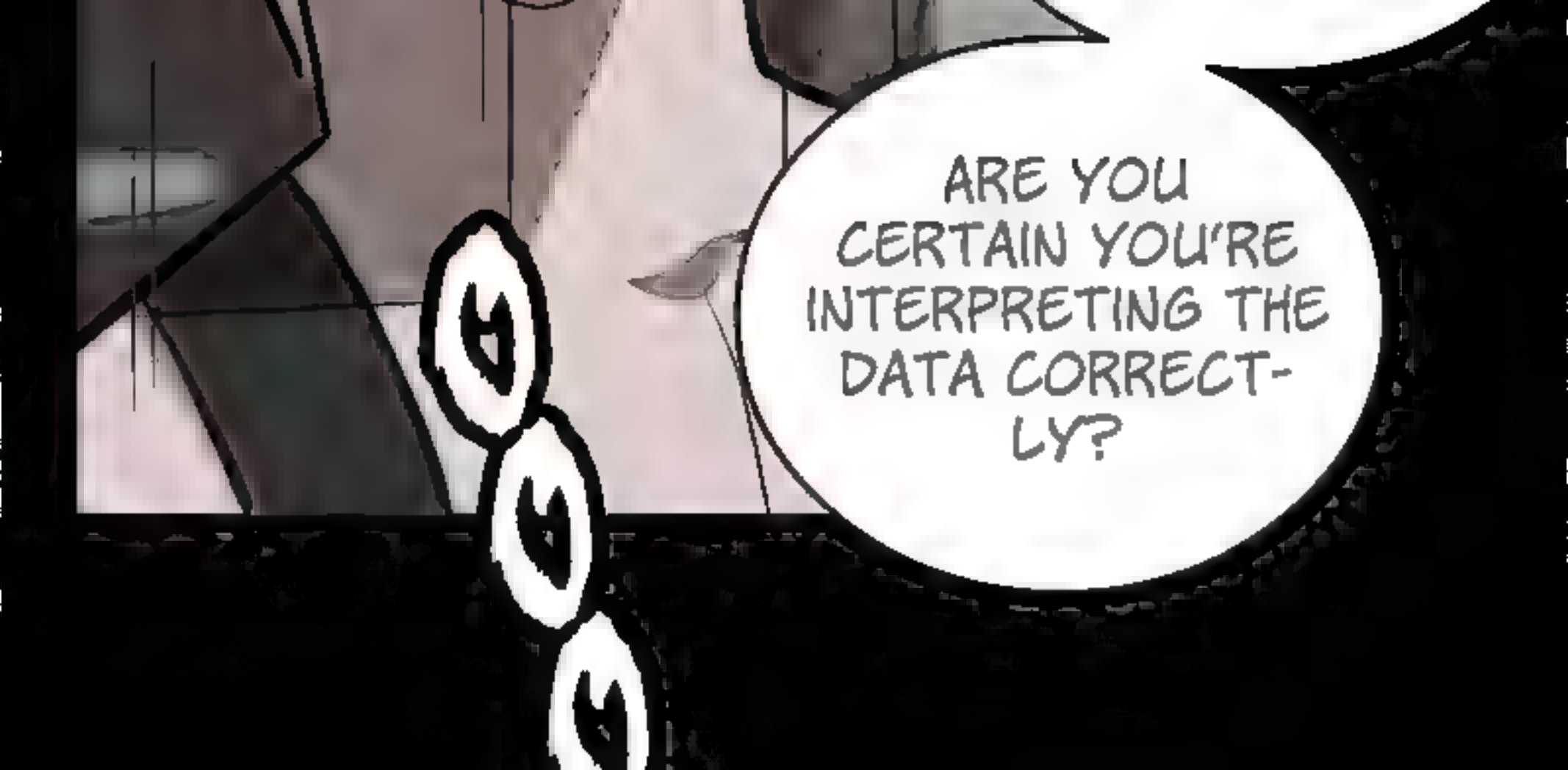
ALL SYSTEMS ARE DOWN.


I'VE LOST CONTROL OF THE SHIP.
FATAL COLLISION CALCULATED IN 32.26 SECONDS...

NO! WE STILL HAVE A CHANCE.

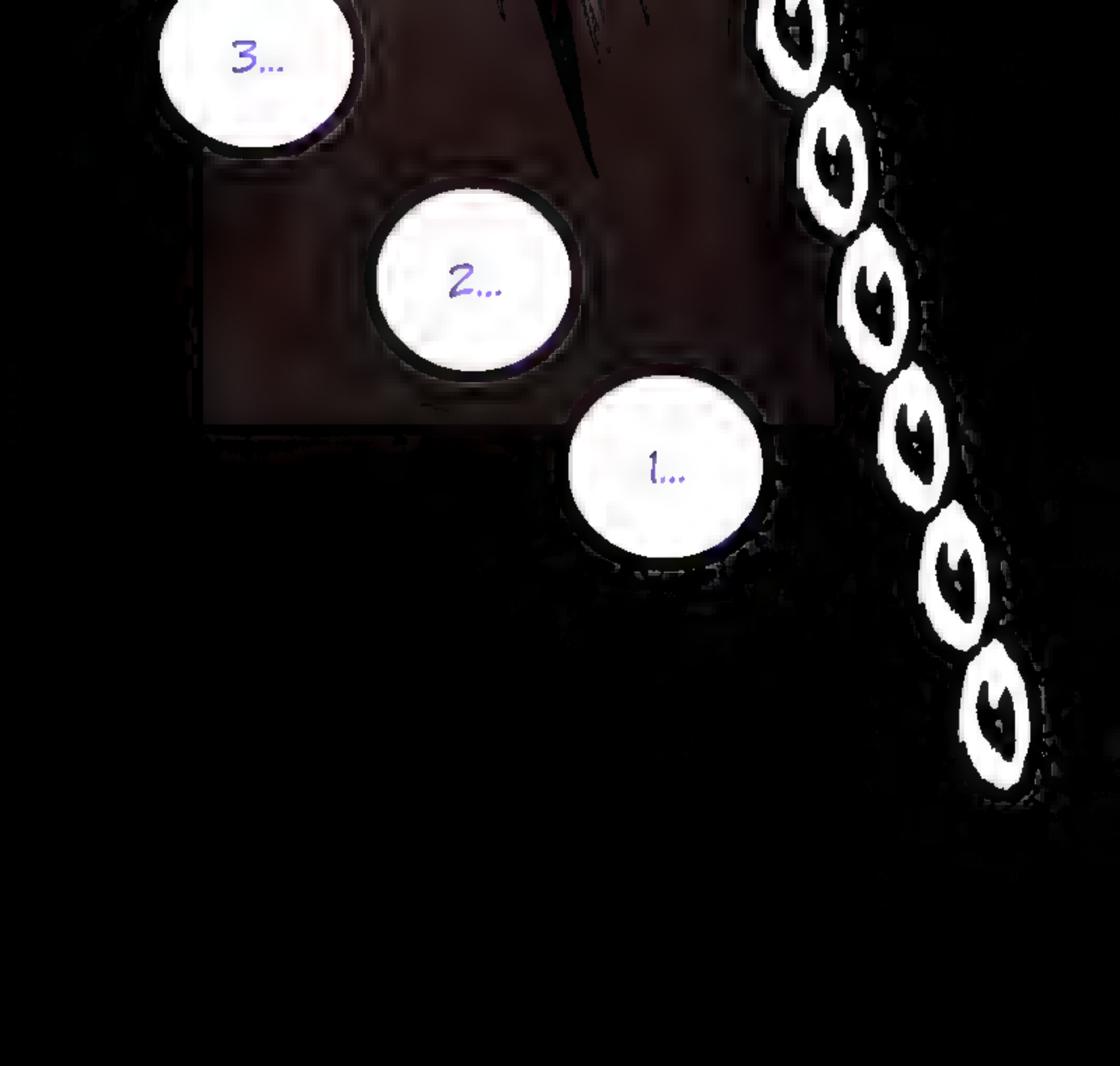

IF WE TIME
IT JUST RIGHT,
THERE'S A PATH
WHERE WE BOTH
SURVIVE THIS!

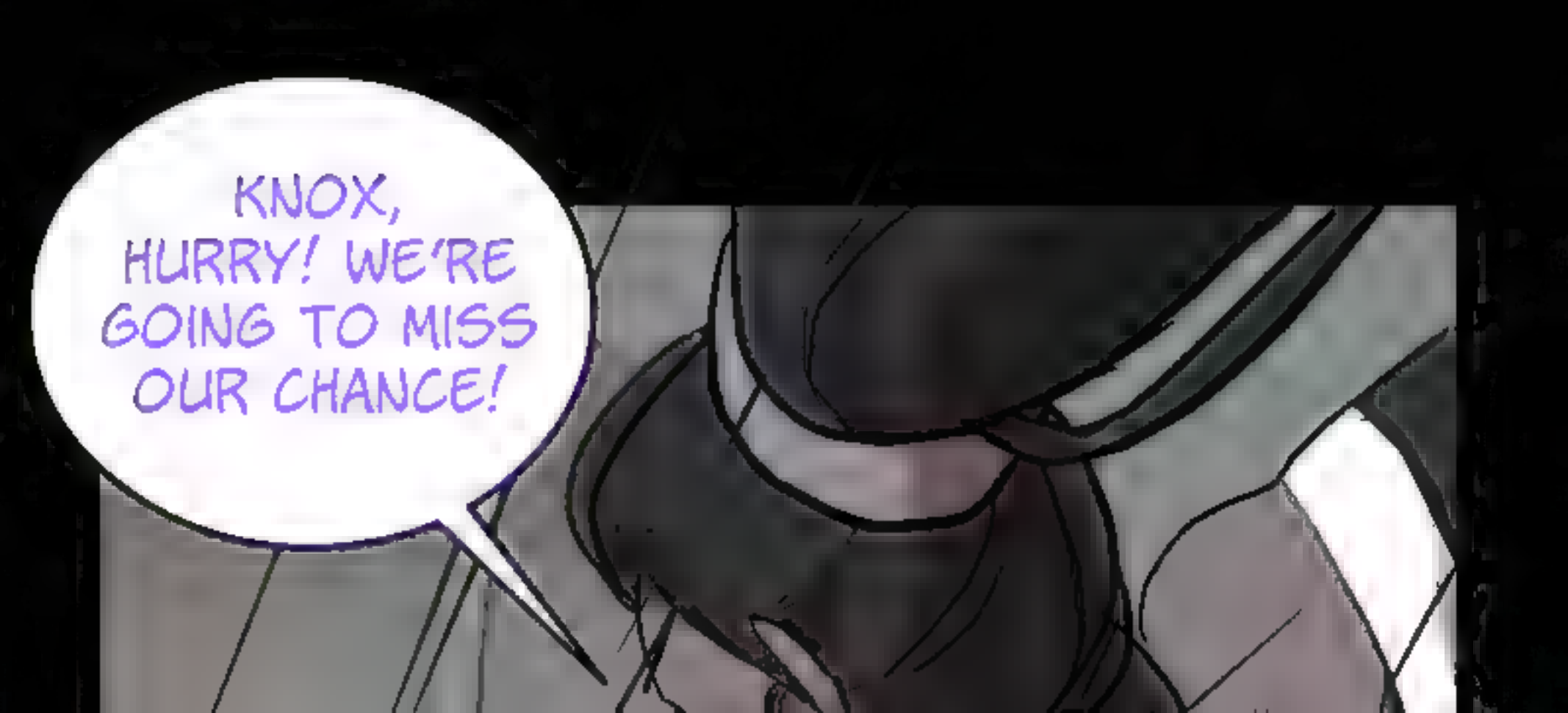
THAT'S HIGHLY IMPROBABLE.

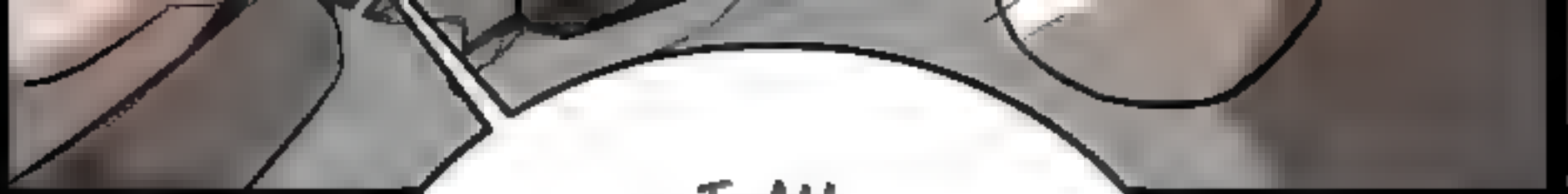

ARE YOU CERTAIN YOU'RE INTERPRETING THE DATA CORRECT-LY?

JUST
TRUST ME!

WE HAVE TO EXIT THE SHIP ON MY COMMAND!


3...
2...
1...


KNOX, HURRY! WE'RE GOING TO MISS OUR CHANCE!

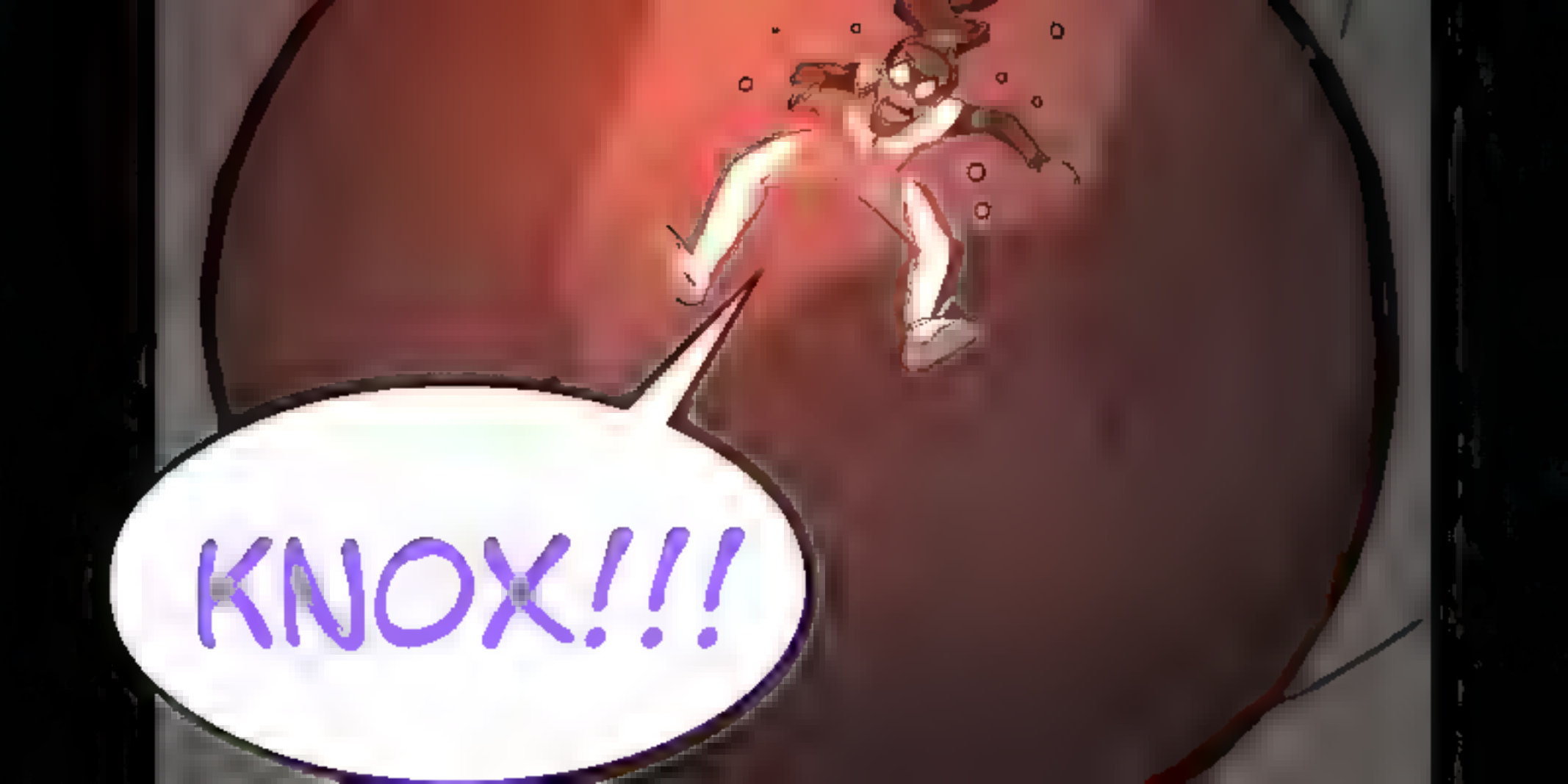


I AM NOT GOING WITH YOU. MY ORDERS ARE TO PROTECT THE SHIP.

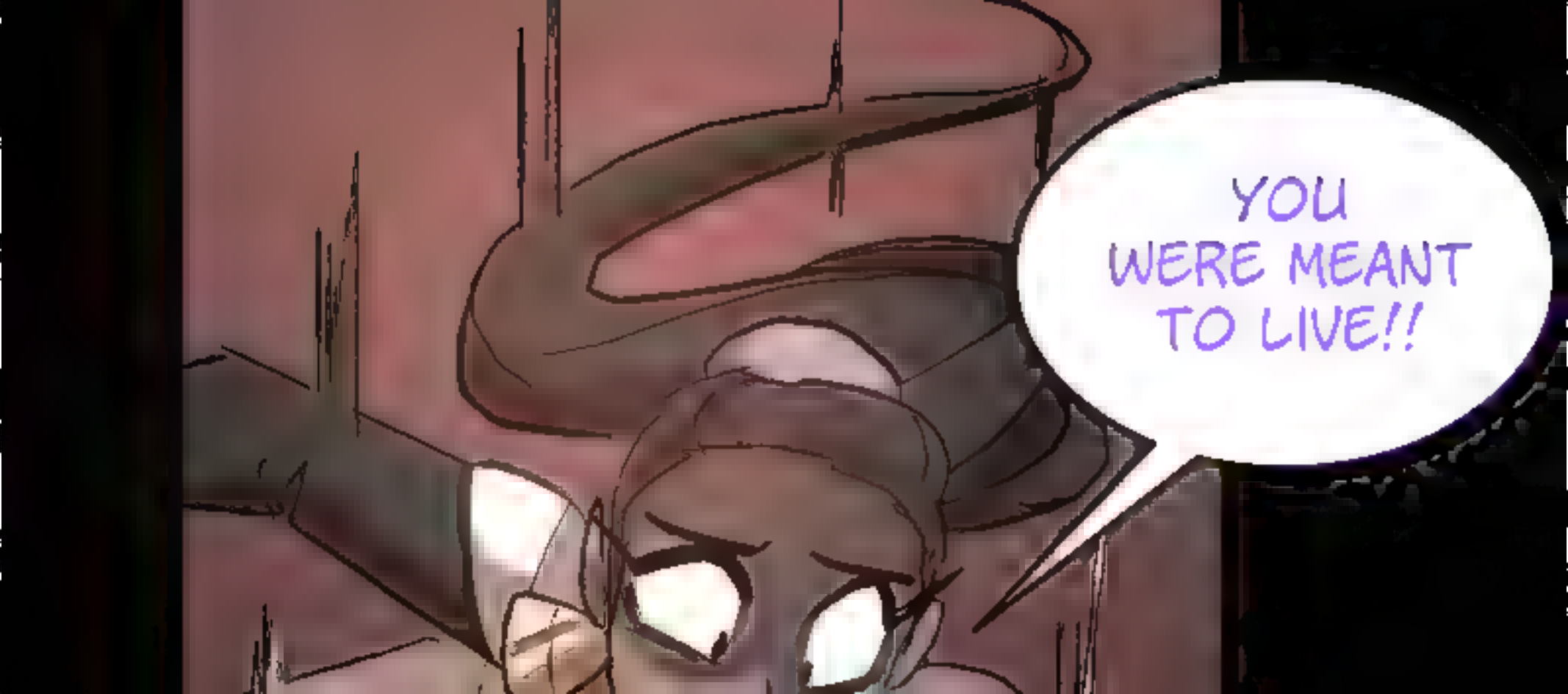
CRAWL

GOOD LUCK,
NEPHTHYS.

DON'T BE SILLY! THE SHIP IS DONE FOR!


KNOX!!!

THIS ISN'T RIGHT!

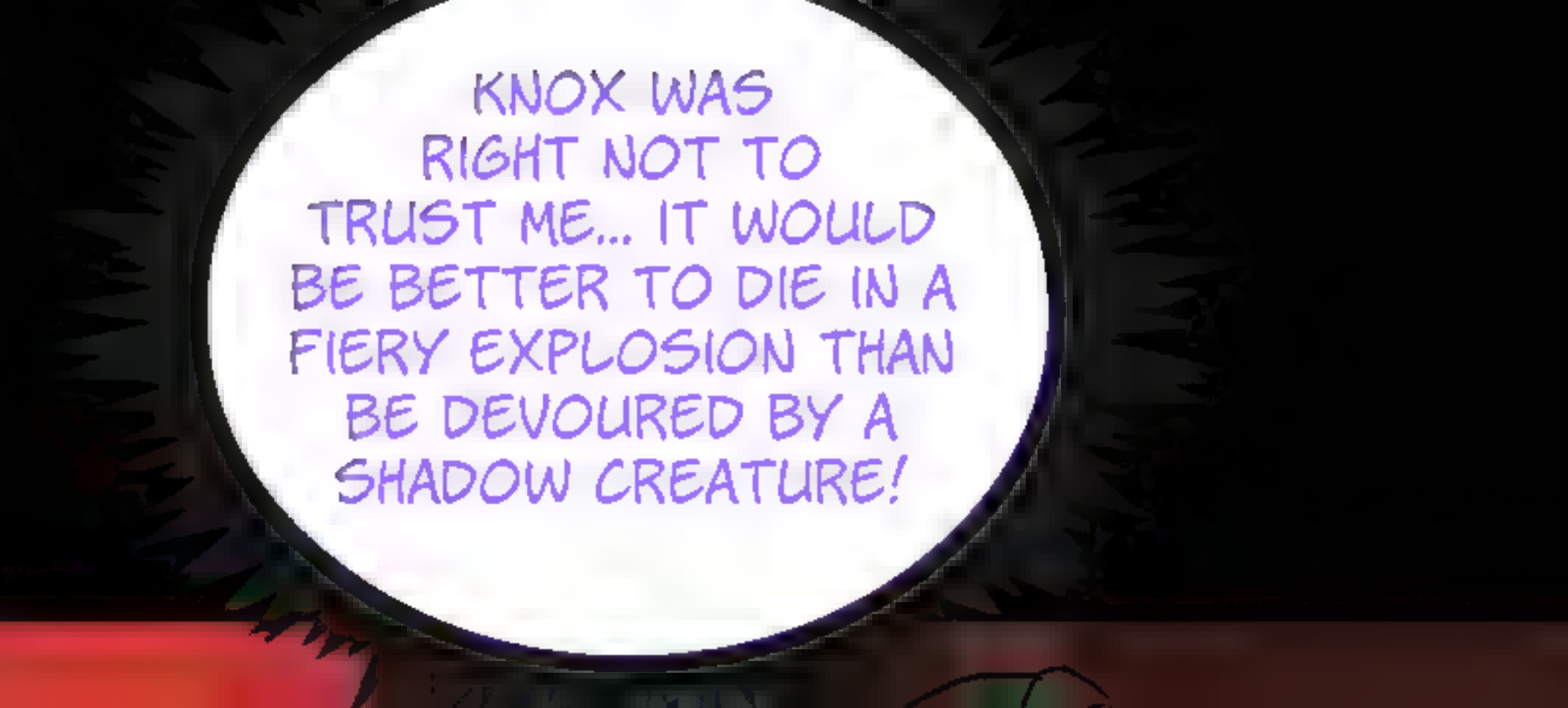

YOU
WERE MEANT
TO LIVE!!

SLURP!

AAAH!!!

SCREECH
HOW COULD I BE SO STUPID?

I LET HOPE CLOUD MY JUDGEMENT... I'VE ONLY PROLONGED MY FATE!


KNOX WAS RIGHT NOT TO TRUST ME... IT WOULD BE BETTER TO DIE IN A FIERY EXPLOSION THAN BE DEVOURED BY A SHADOW CREATURE!

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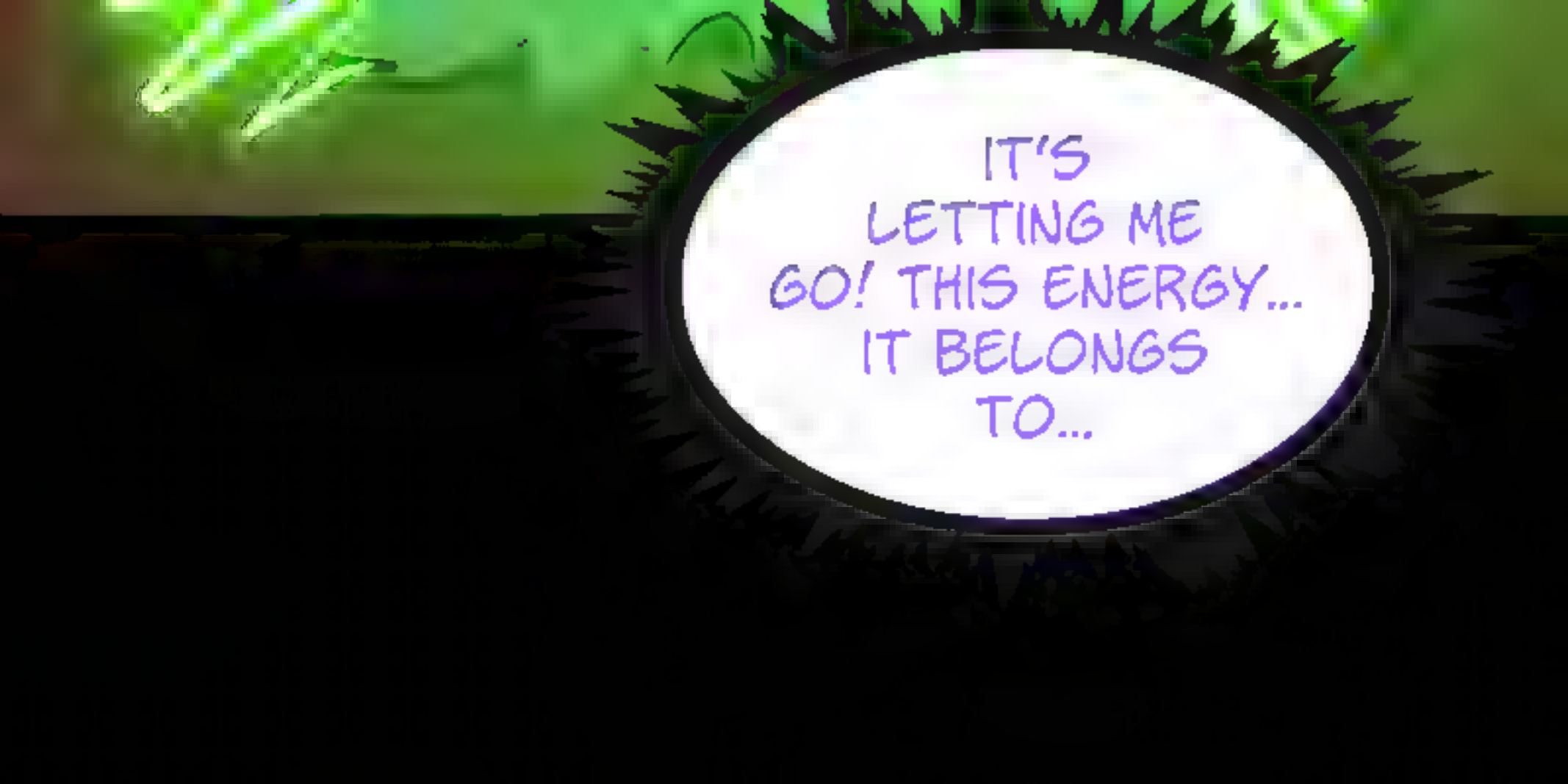
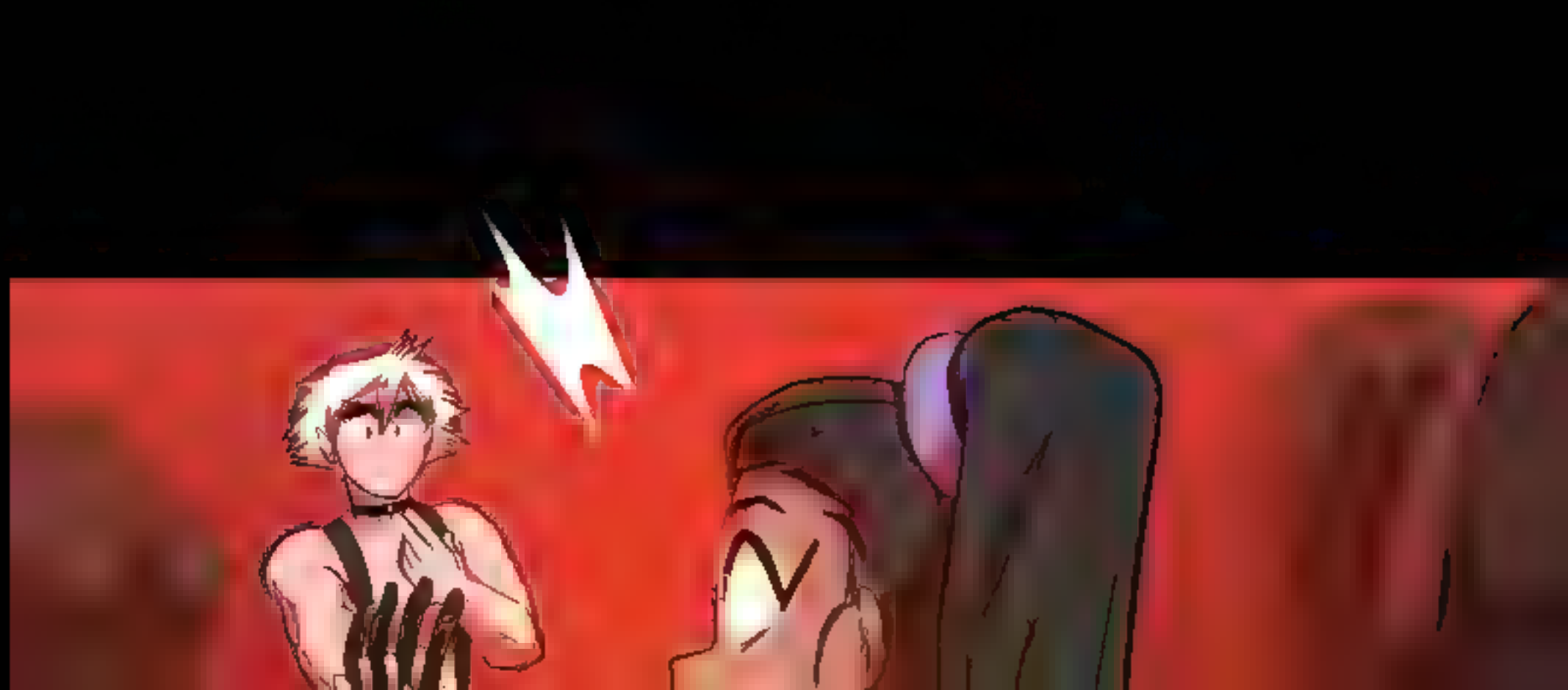

IT'S LETTING ME GO! THIS ENERGY... IT BELONGS TO...



KNOX?!

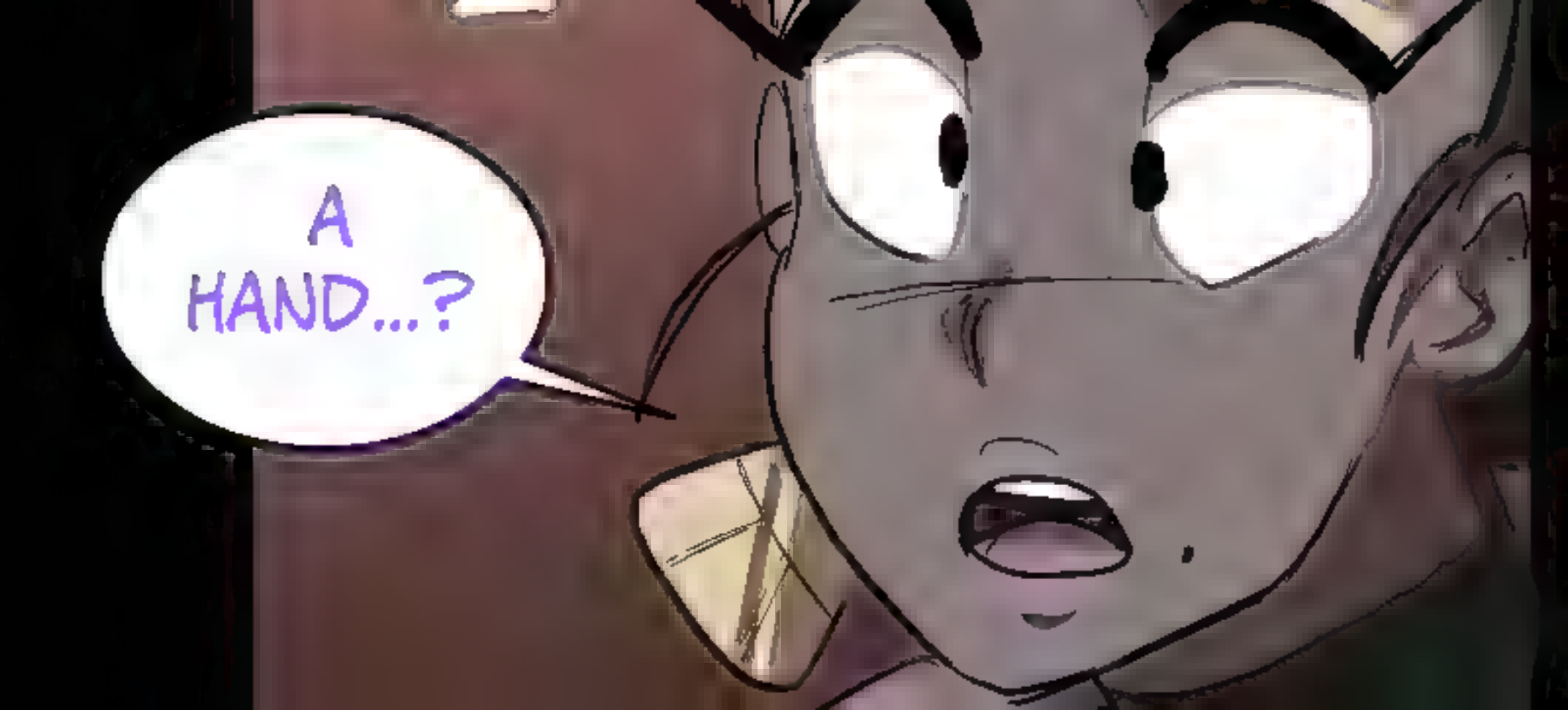
THANK, RA, YOU'RE ALIVE!!

BUT HOW--
WHAT ABOUT
THE SHIP!?

MY ORDERS WERE TO PROTECT THE SHIP.

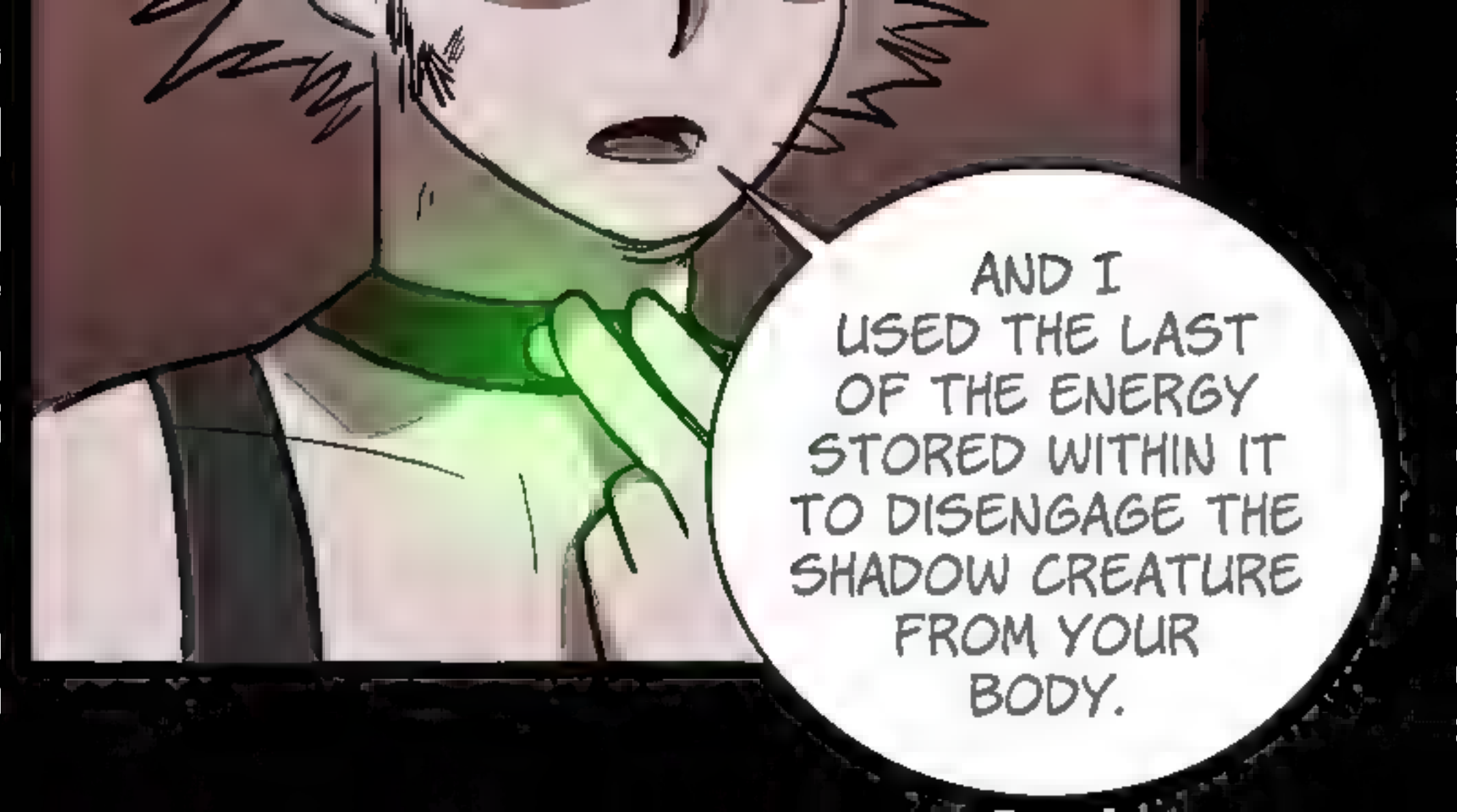
I HAVE SALVAGED ITS CORE. THE WHOLE SHIP WAS BUILT AROUND THE FUNCTIONALITY OF THIS PIECE.

THIS IS WHAT ALLOWS US TO TRAVEL BETWEEN REALMS. WITH THIS, WE CAN REBUILD THE SHIP.

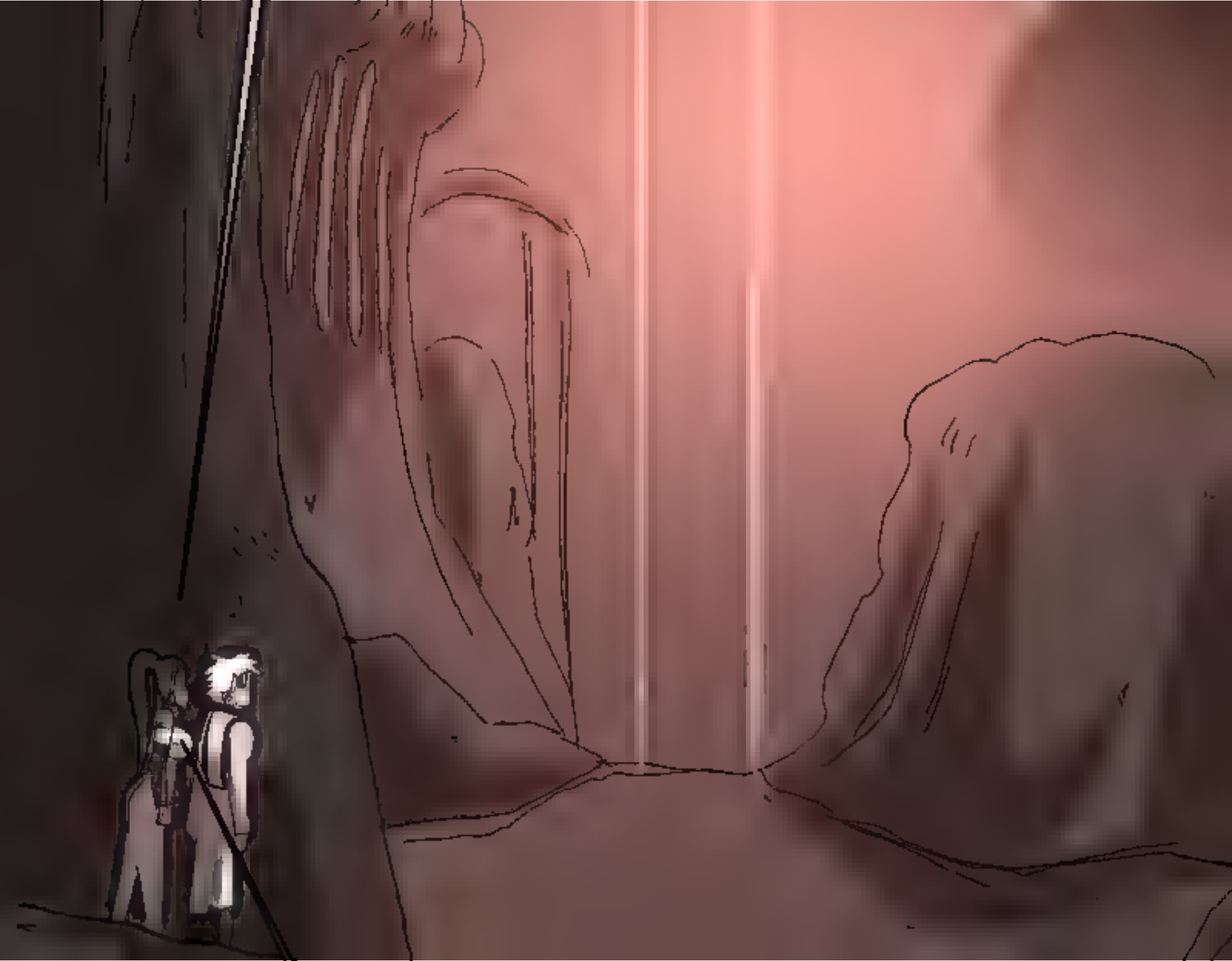

A HAND...?

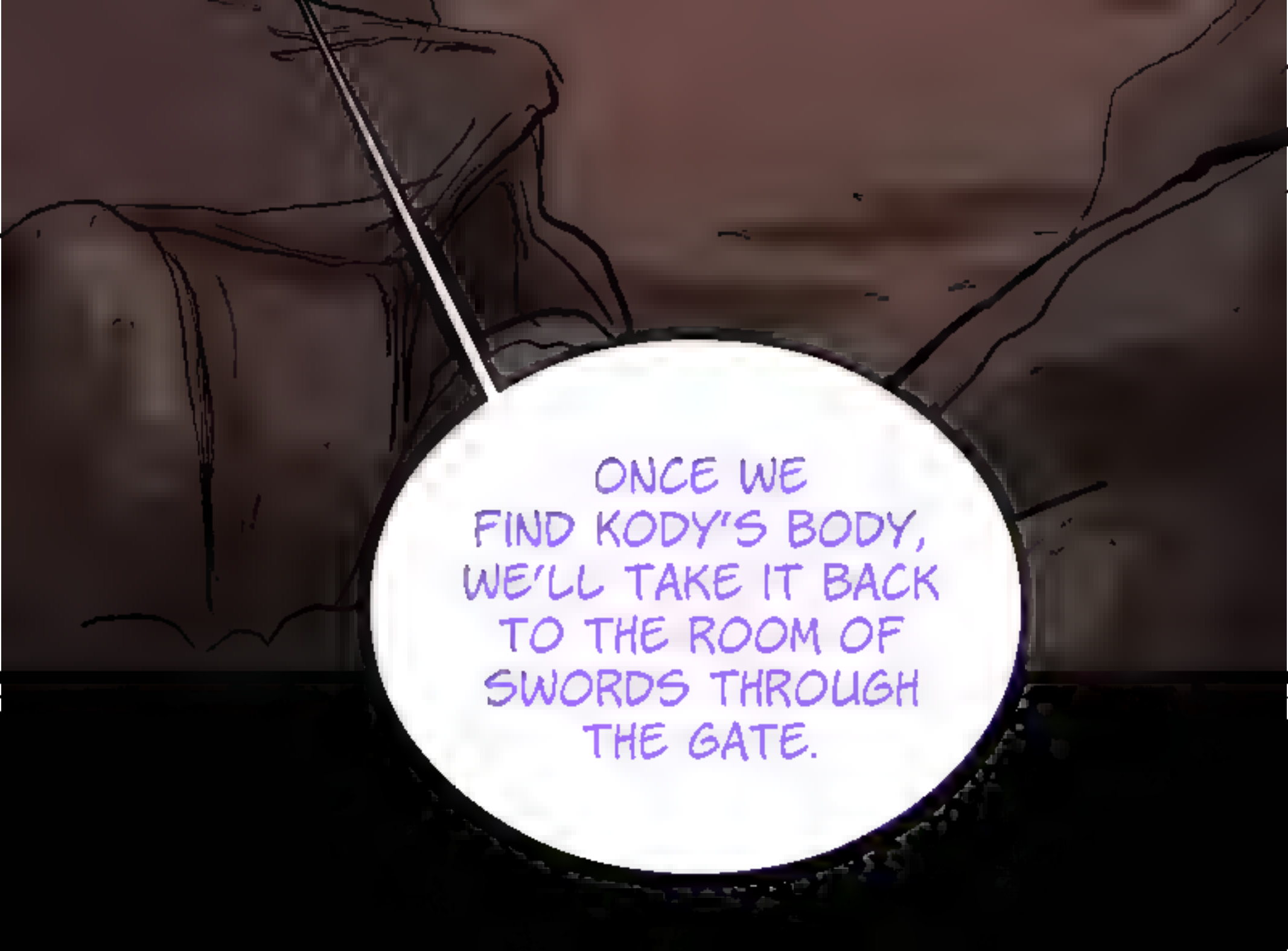
WELL...
THAT'S A RELIEF.
NOW WE CAN STILL ESCAPE FROM HERE ONCE WE'VE FOUND KODY.

NEGATIVE... IT LACKS A POWER SOURCE.


AND I USED THE LAST OF THE ENERGY STORED WITHIN IT TO DISENGAGE THE SHADOW CREATURE FROM YOUR BODY.

I SEE...
THEN I GUESS
WE HAVE NO CHOICE
BUT TO TRAVEL THE
OLD FASHIONED
WAY.




ONCE WE FIND KODY'S BODY, WE'LL TAKE IT BACK TO THE ROOM OF SWORDS THROUGH THE GATE.

WHERE WILL WE FIND HIM?

AT THE TOP OF THIS HILL. I SAW IT IN MY VISION.

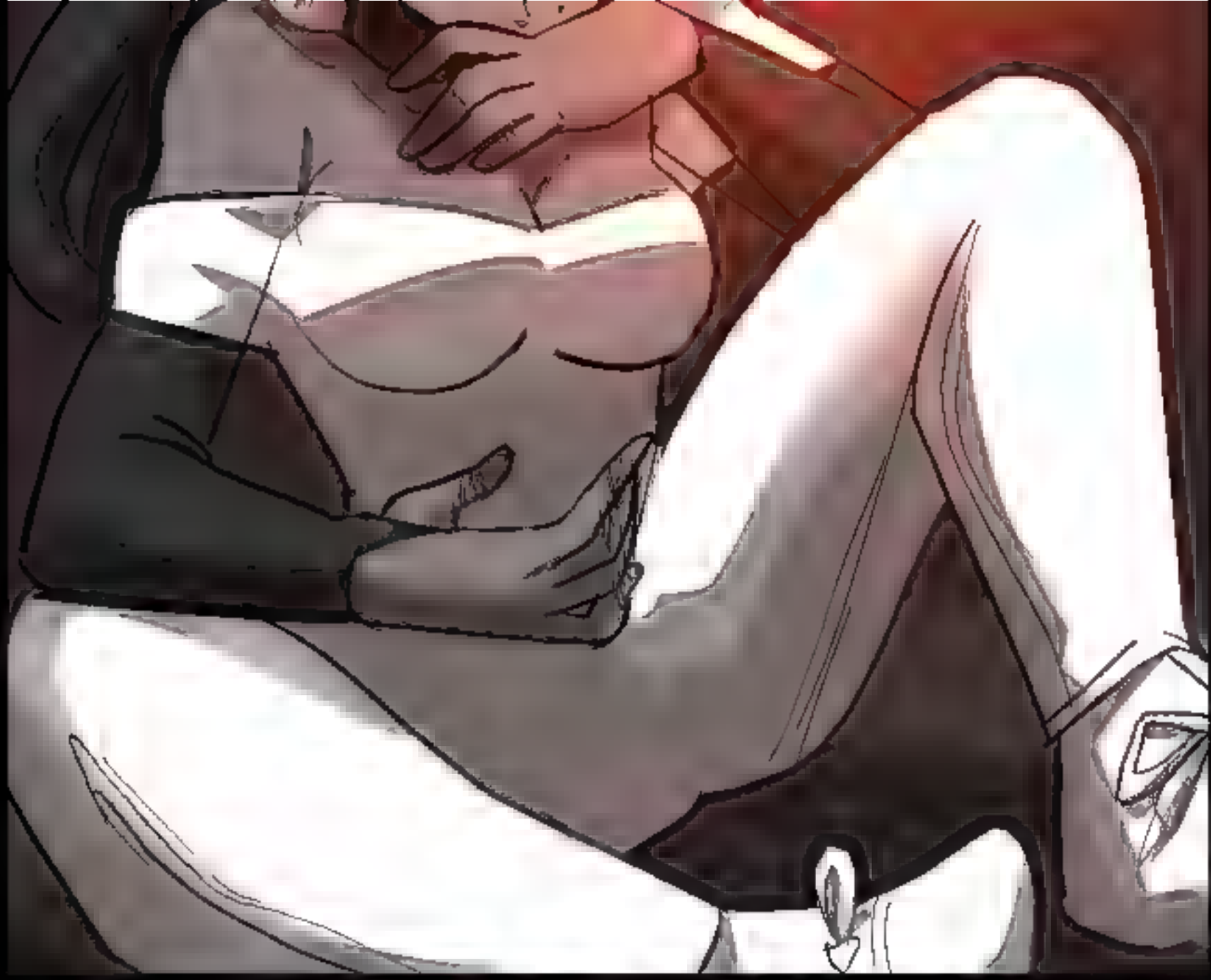
SHIVER

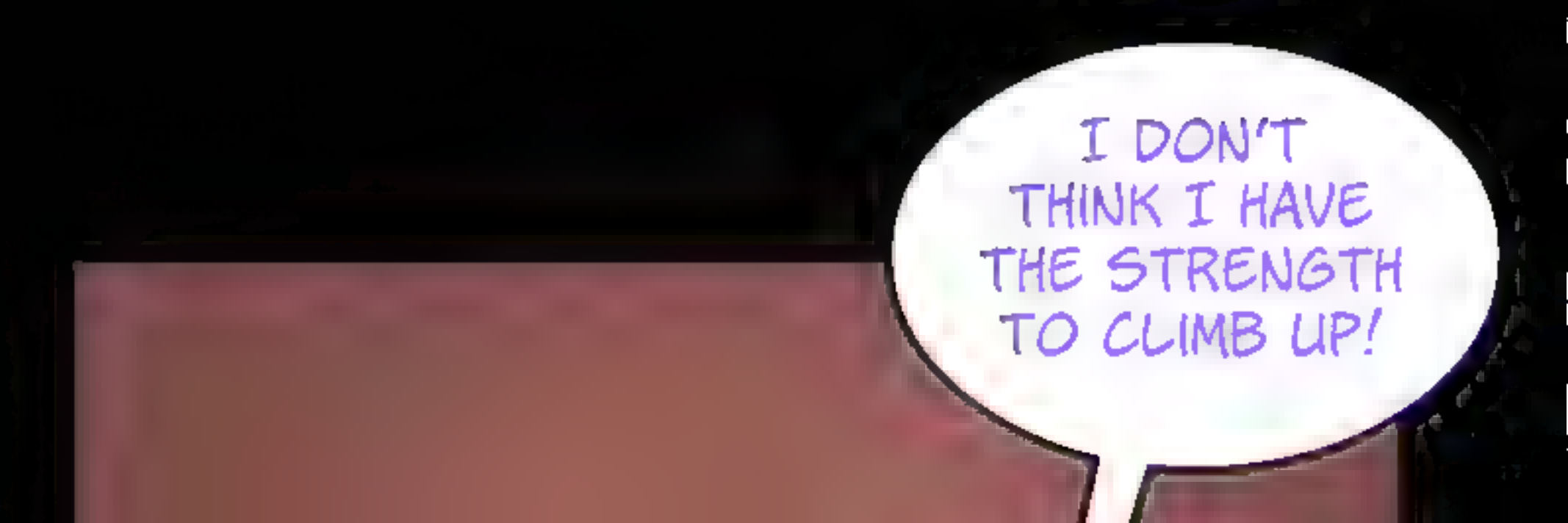
AH! MY HANDS...!

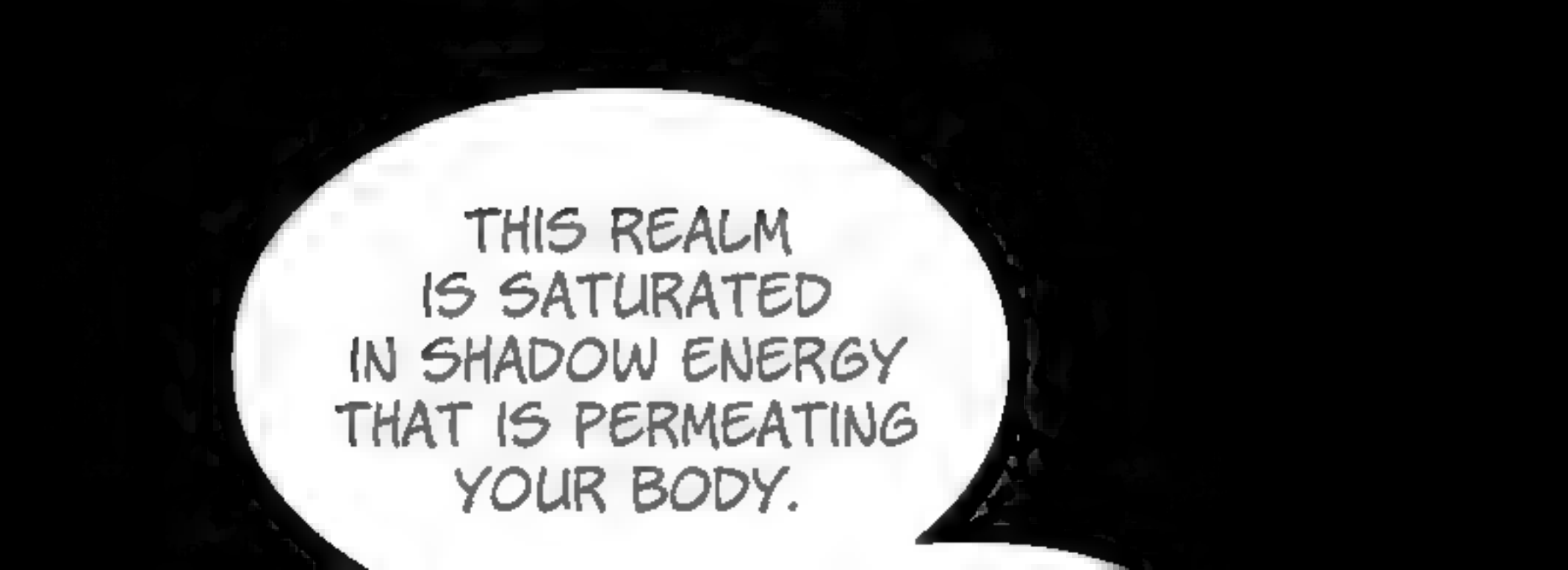
WHY
DID YOU COME
BACK DOWN ALREADY?
DID YOU CHANGE
YOUR MIND?

CRASH

NO, I DIDN'T CHANGE MY MIND!
MY FINGERS ARE ICE COLD! I CAN'T EVEN HEAL THEM!




I DON'T THINK I HAVE THE STRENGTH TO CLIMB UP!


THIS REALM
IS SATURATED
IN SHADOW ENERGY
THAT IS PERMEATING
YOUR BODY.

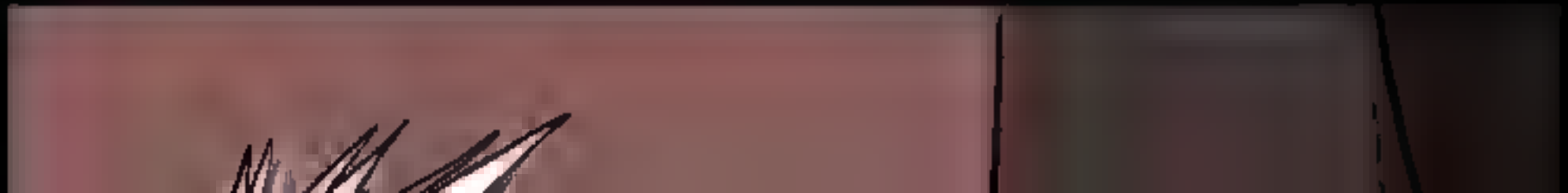
YOU CAN SURVIVE FOR PRECISELY ONE HOUR.

AND
SINCE YOU'VE
ALREADY SPENT
TIME IN THE SHADOW
HOUR, YOU HAVE
EVEN LESS TIME.

KNOX!
YOUR FACE
AND HAIR... IT'S
HAPPENING TO
YOU TOO!

AFFIRMATIVE...
THIS IS NOT MY FIRST TIME IN SHADOW HOUR EITHER, NOR AM I IMMUNE TO ITS EFFECTS.

HOWEVER,
I DO NOT FEEL
ITS EFFECTS.



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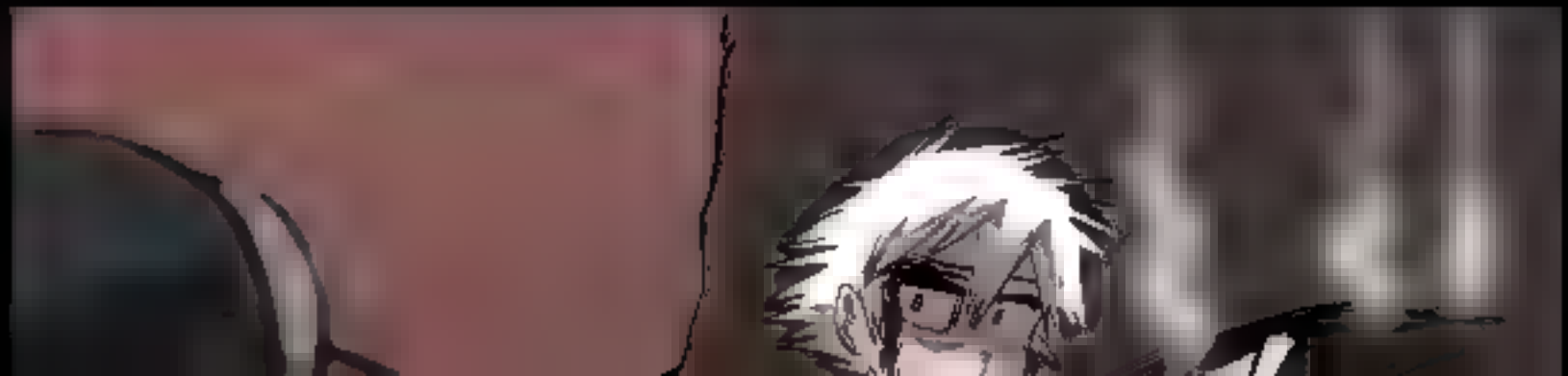
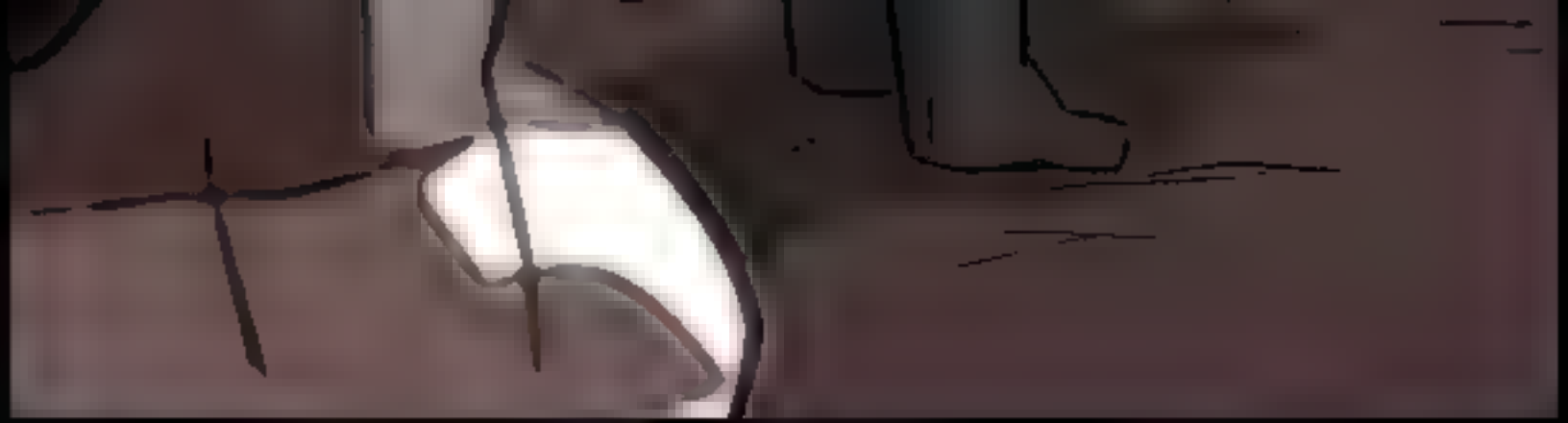
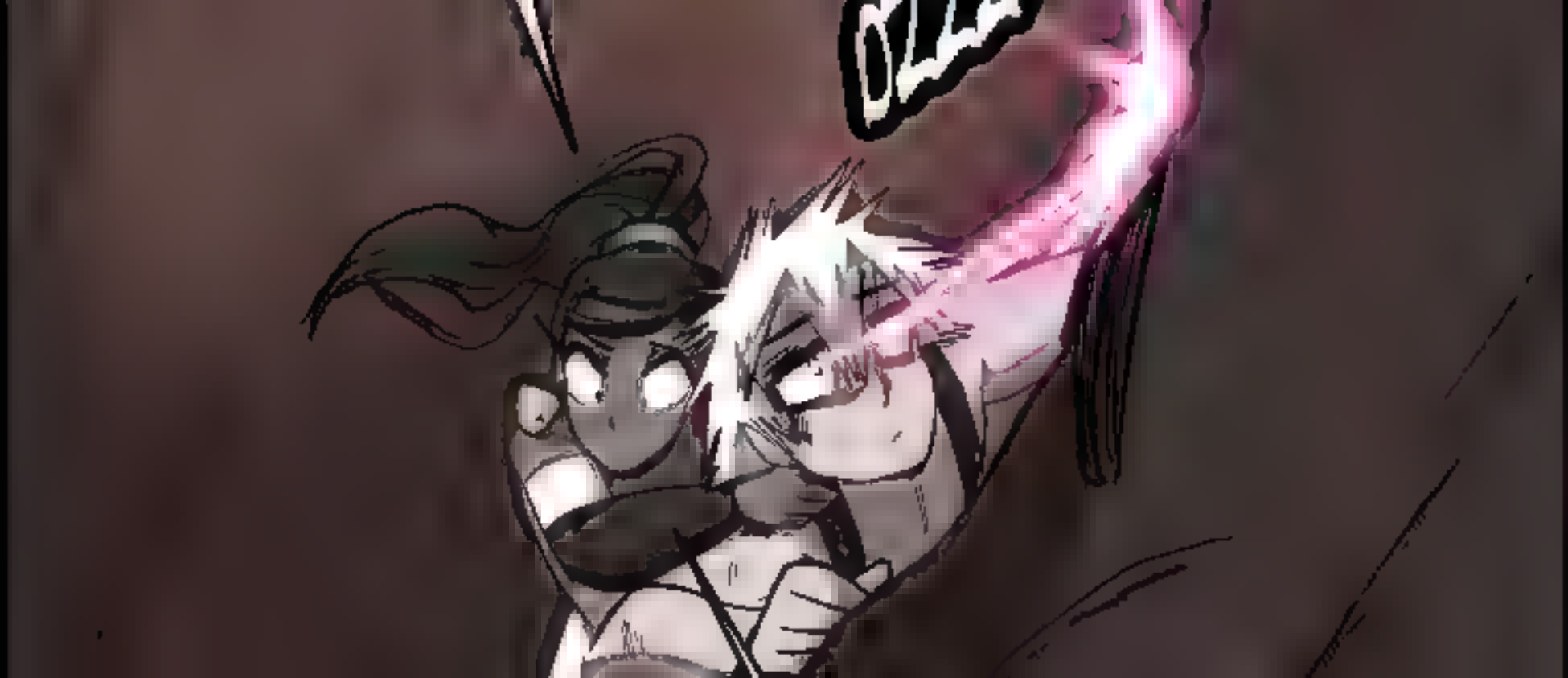
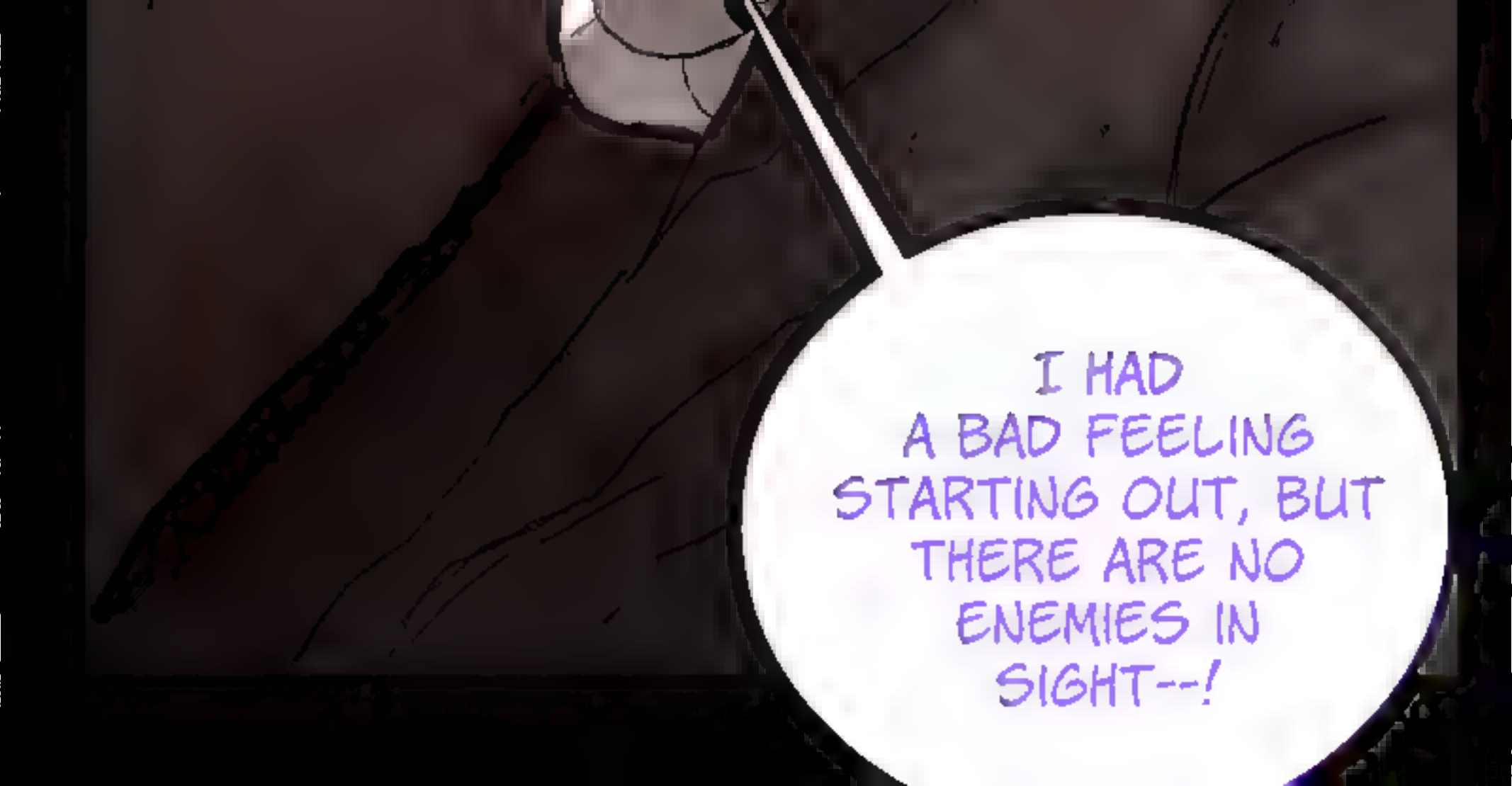


COME, I WILL TRANSPORT US TO THE TOP.

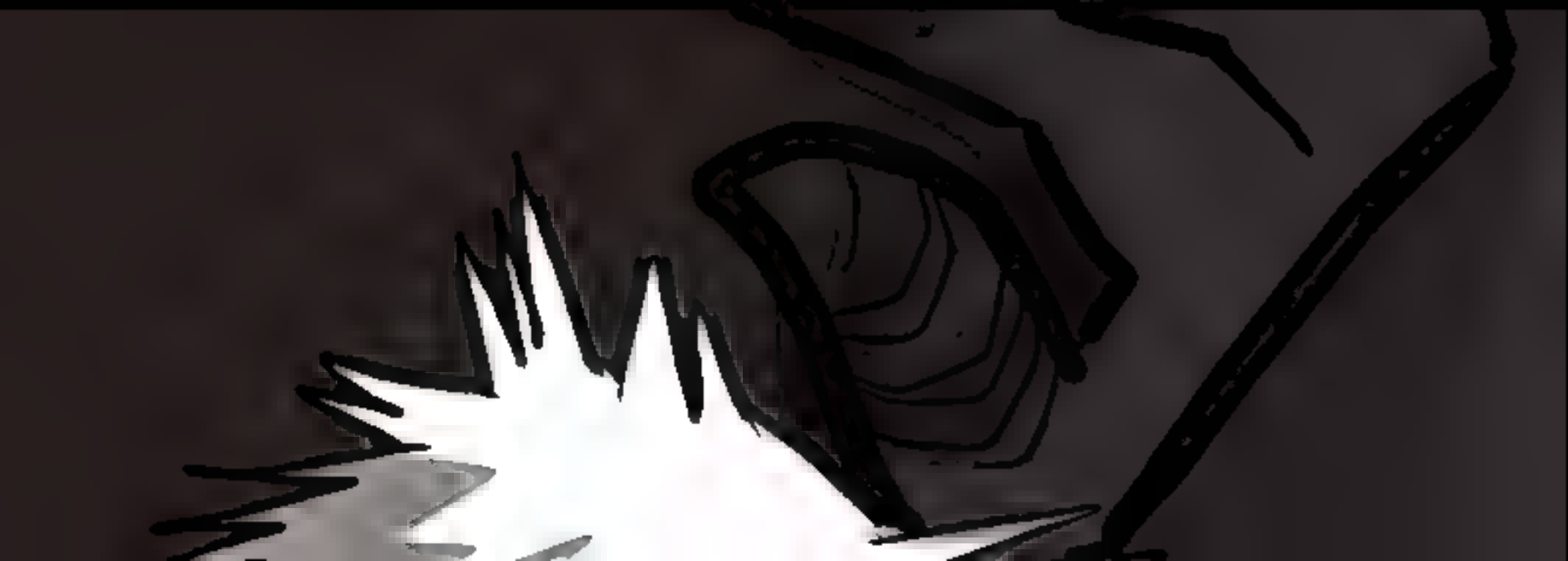


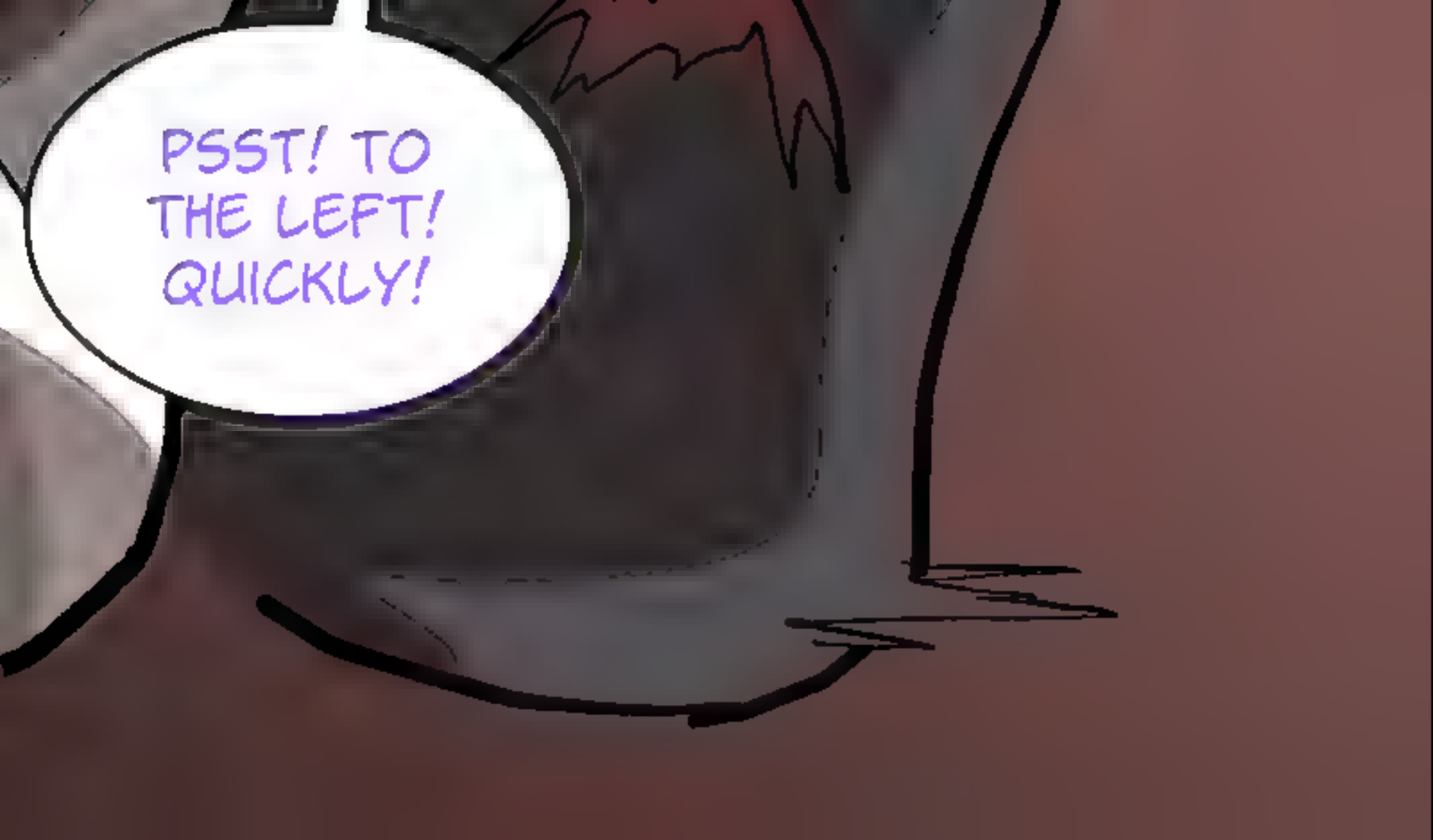
GOODNESS, WE'RE MAKING EXCELLENT PROGRESS...

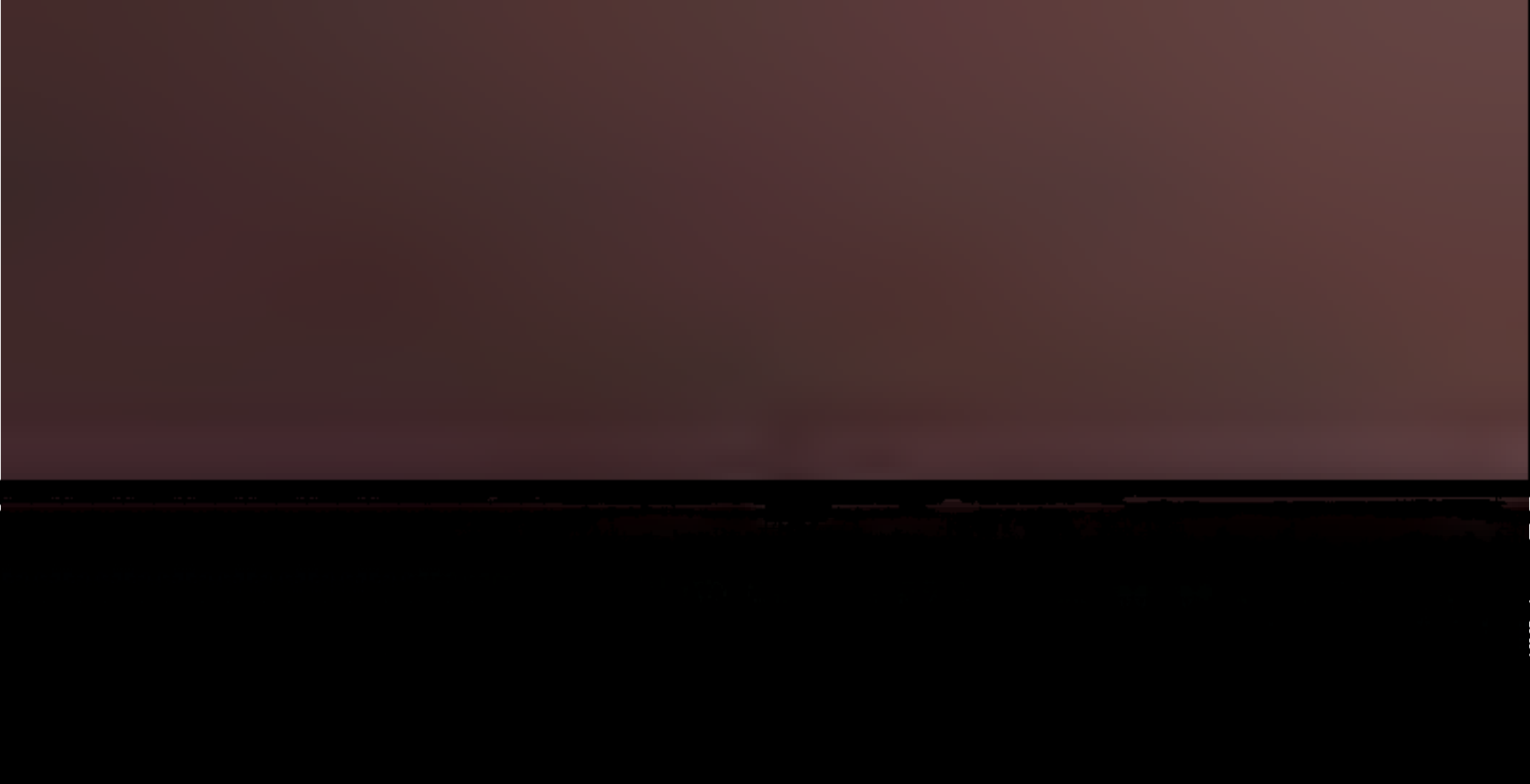



I HAD A BAD FEELING STARTING OUT, BUT THERE ARE NO ENEMIES IN SIGHT--!

SLAY




PSST! TO THE LEFT! QUICKLY!



SLITHER

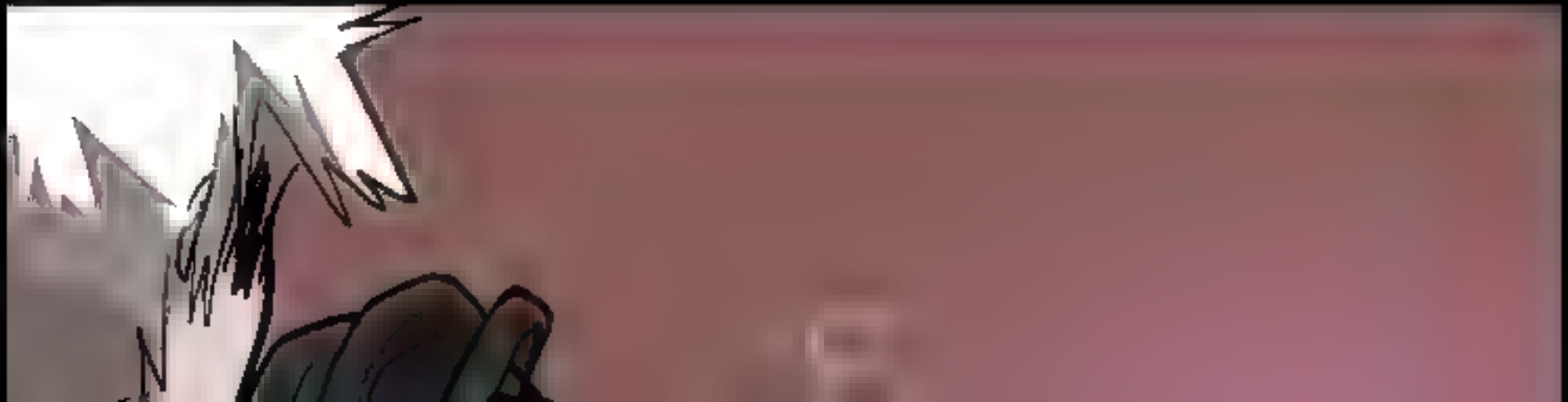
SLITHER

SLITHER

THAT WAS CLOSE... GOOD THING YOU'RE A FAST CLIMBER.

TO BE PRECISE, IT WAS MY REFLEXES THAT GAVE US THE EDGE.

YES,
WELL, THANK
YOU ALL THE
SAME.



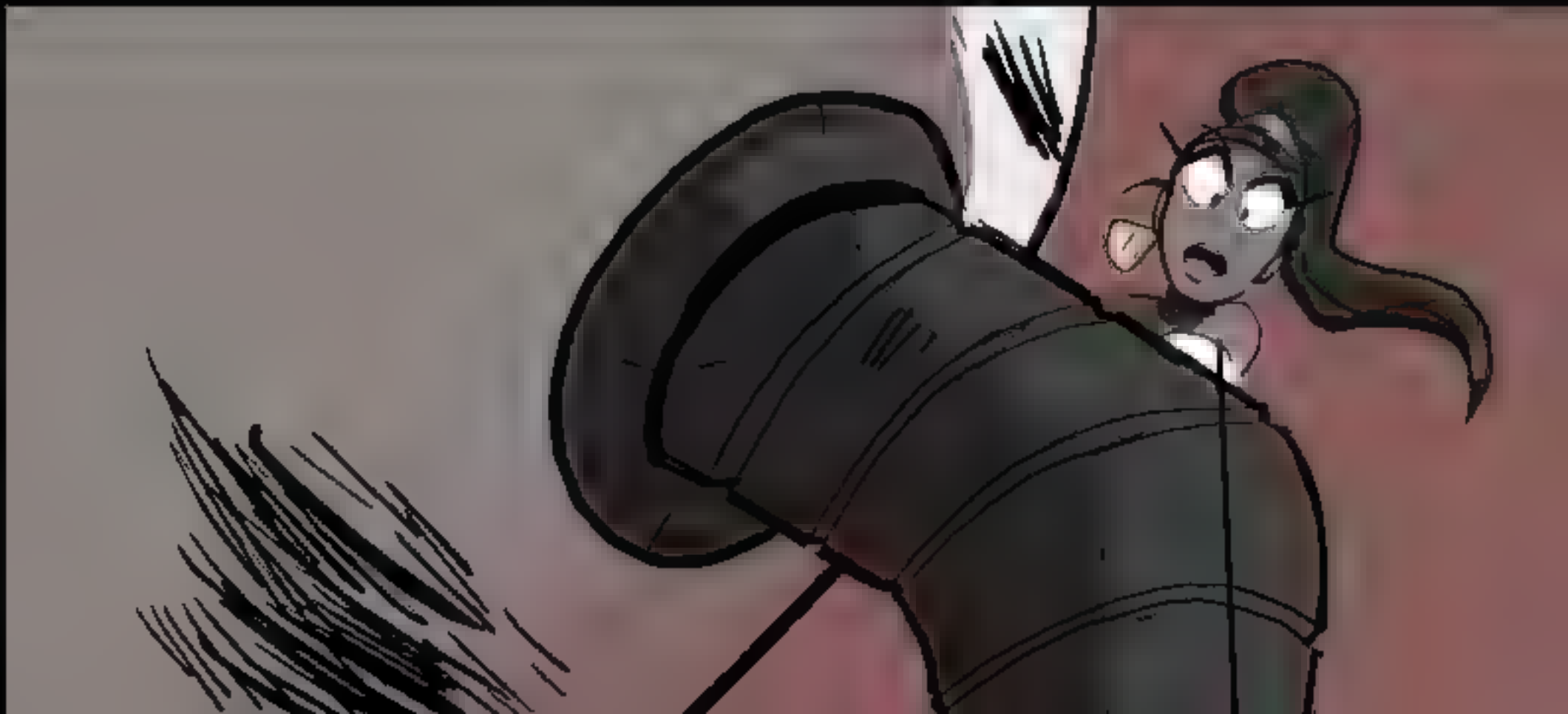
GASP
KNOX! LOOK OVER THERE!

THIS IS KODY'S BASE CAMP!

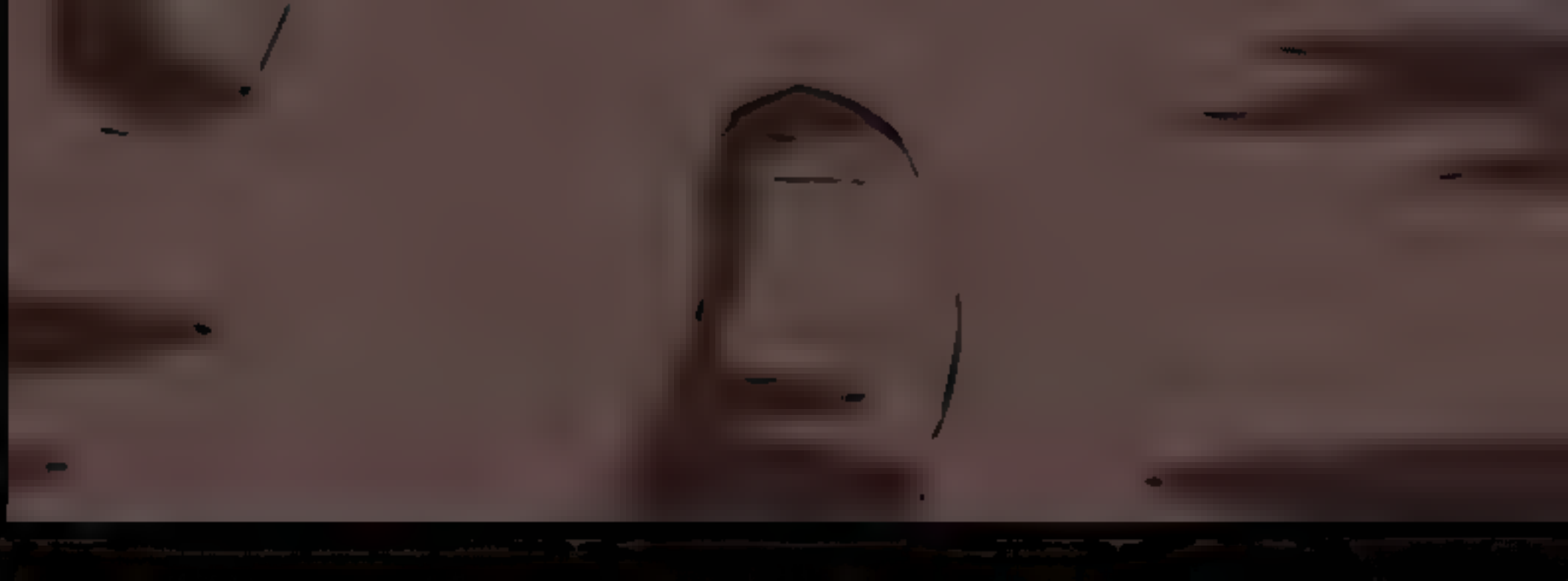
I SAW
HIS BODY HERE
IN MY VISION!

BUT I DON'T SEE HIM...

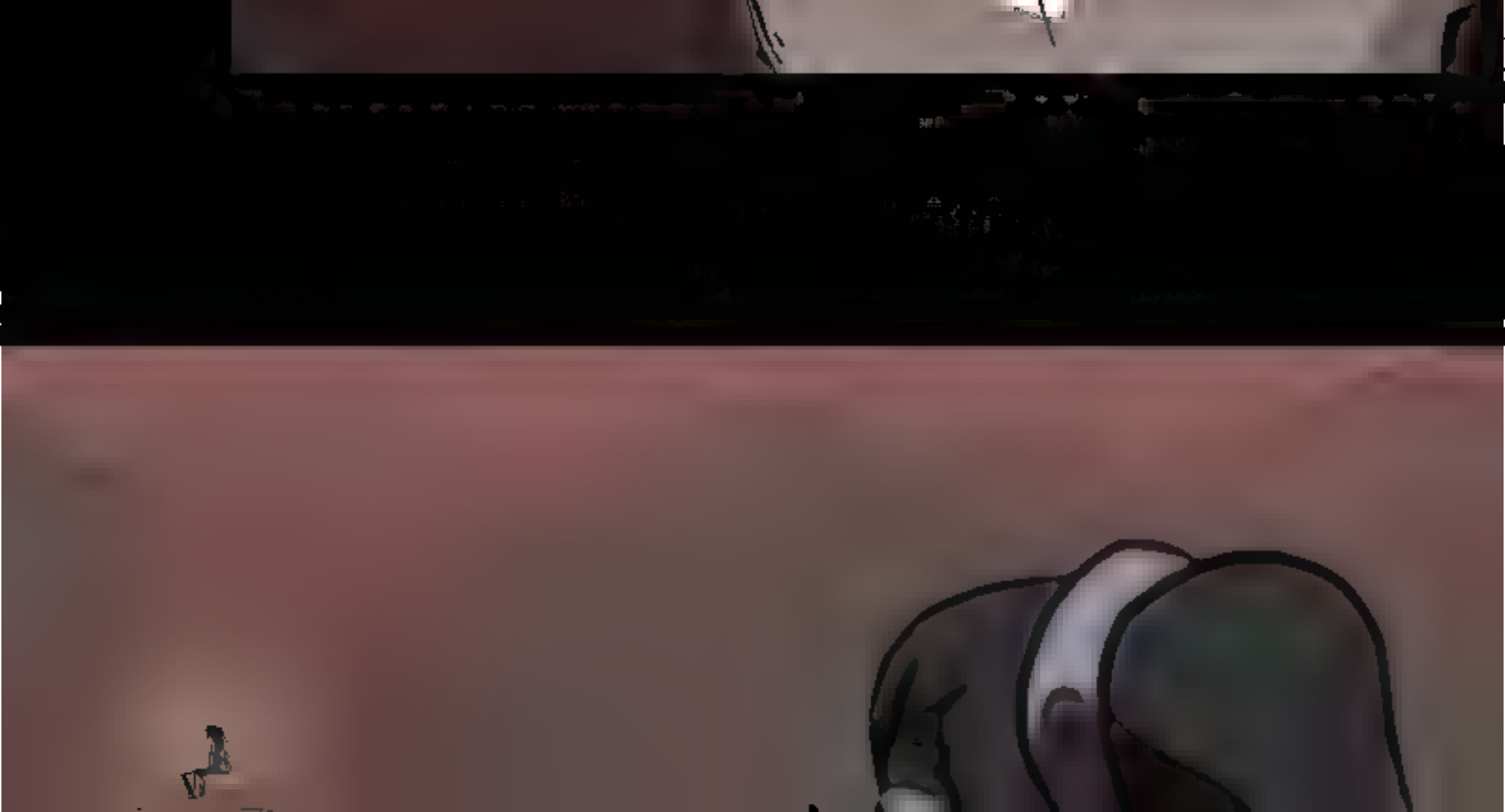
ARE WE TOO LATE?



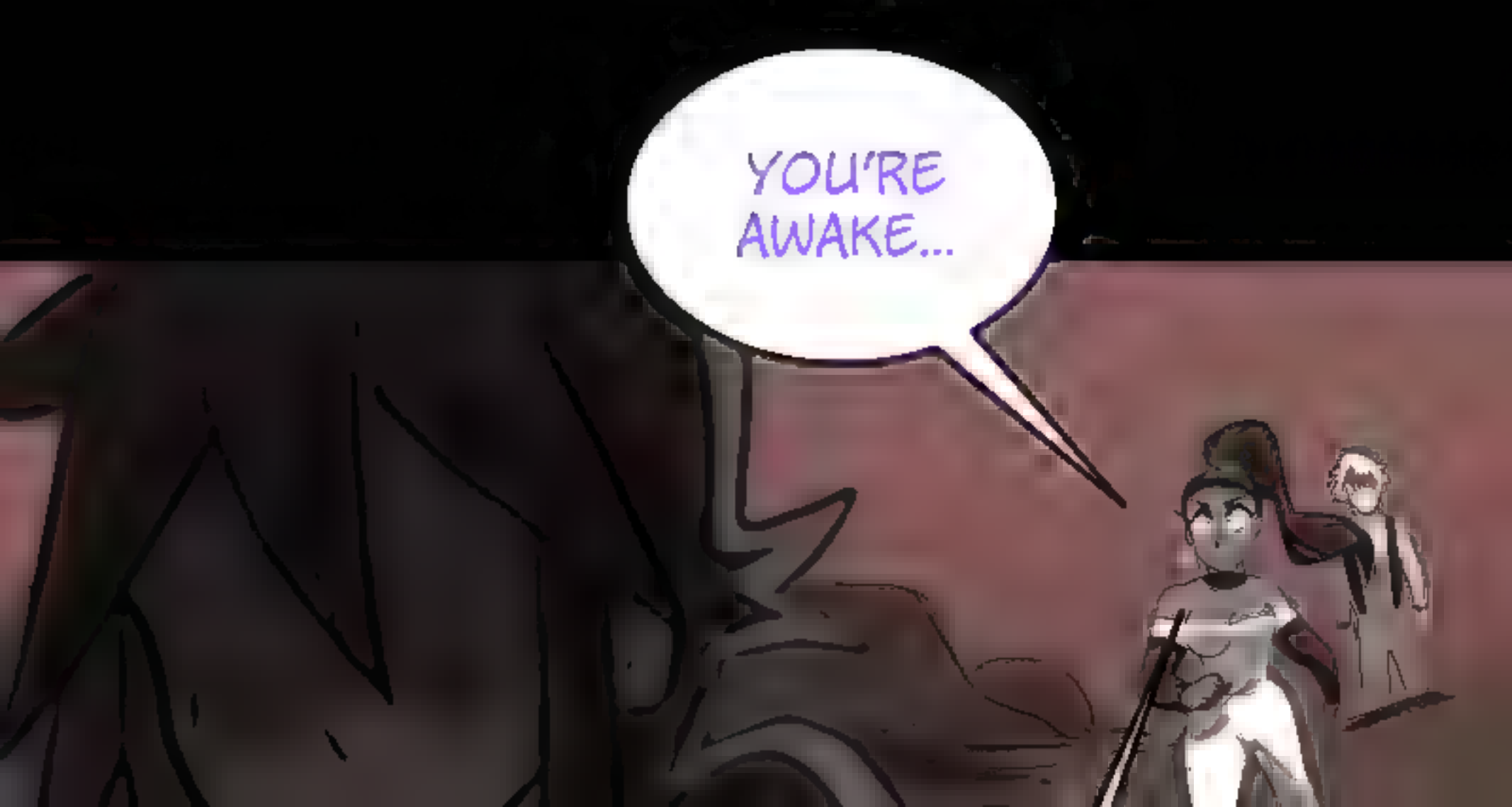
FOOT PRINTS!



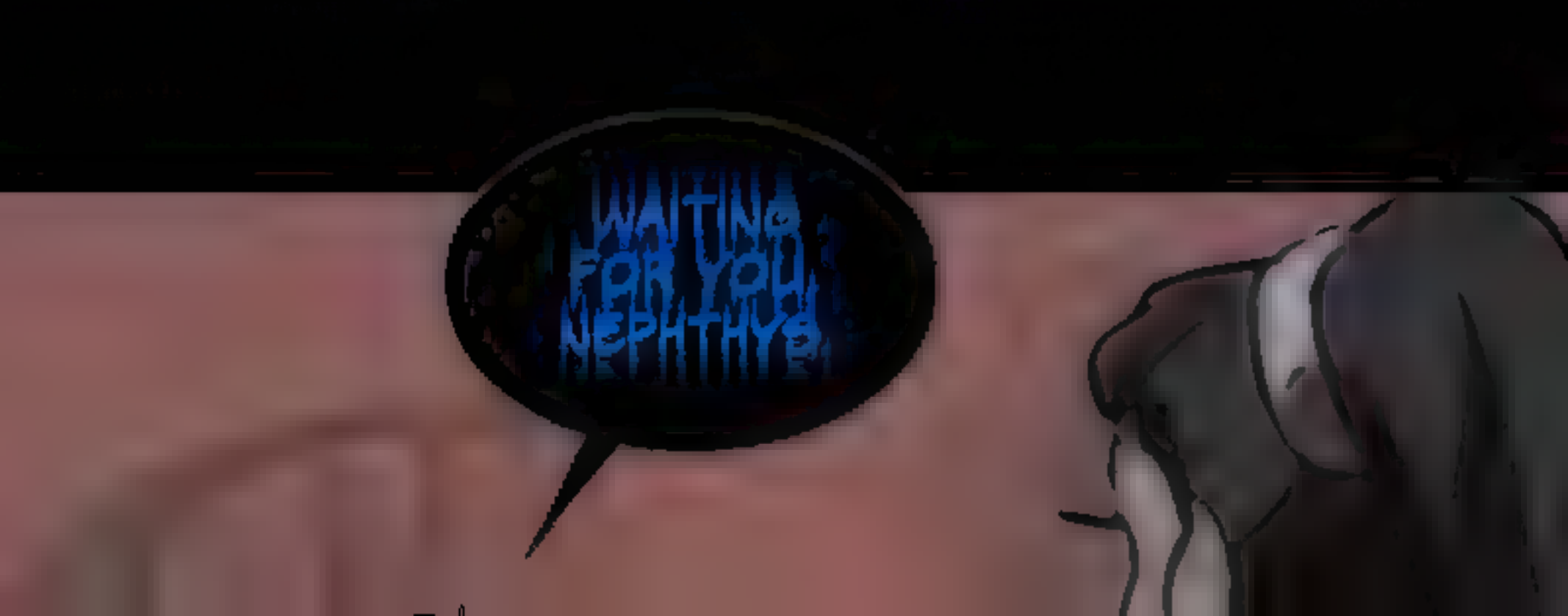
THOSE BOOTS DEFINITELY BELONG TO...

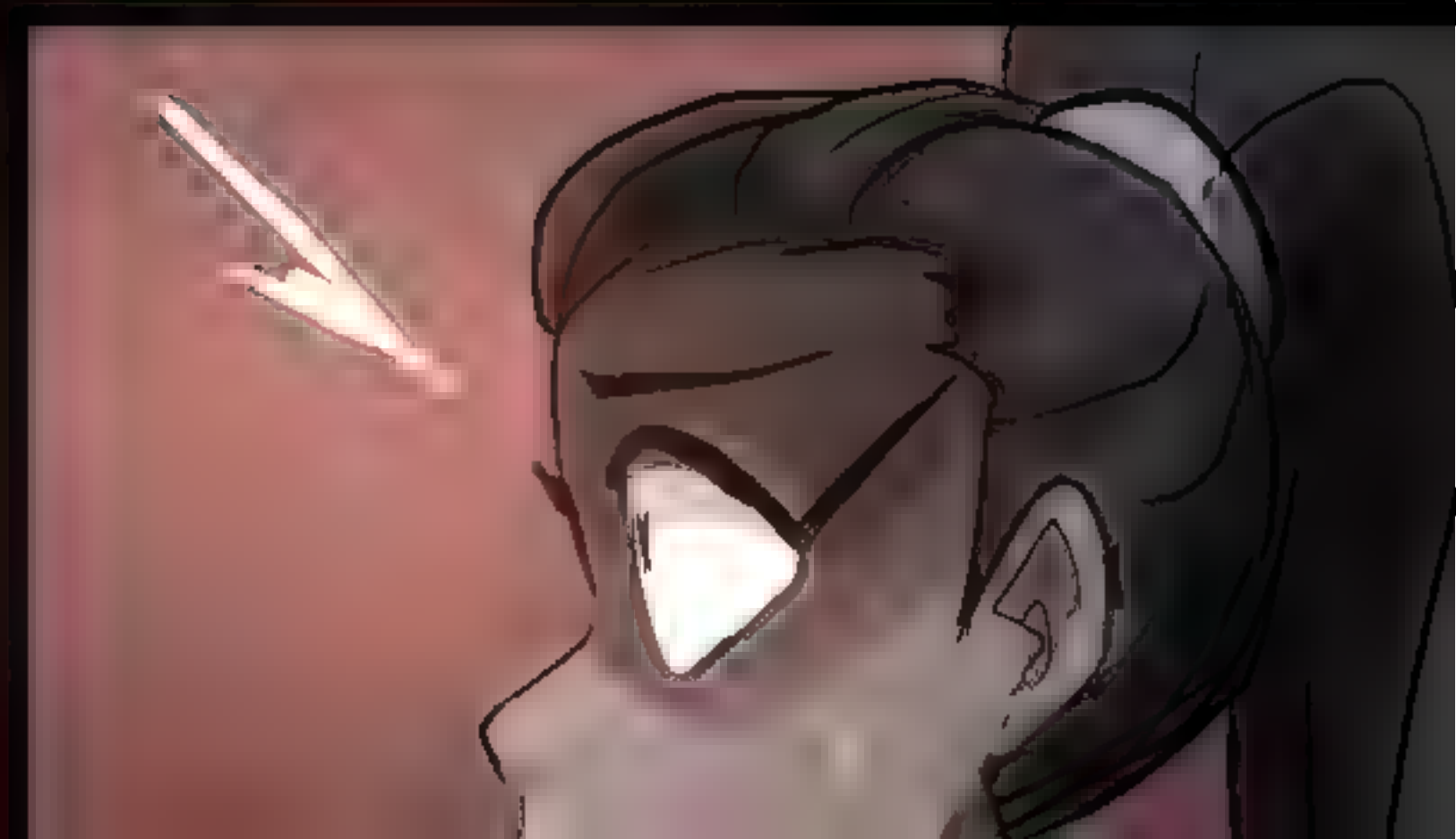


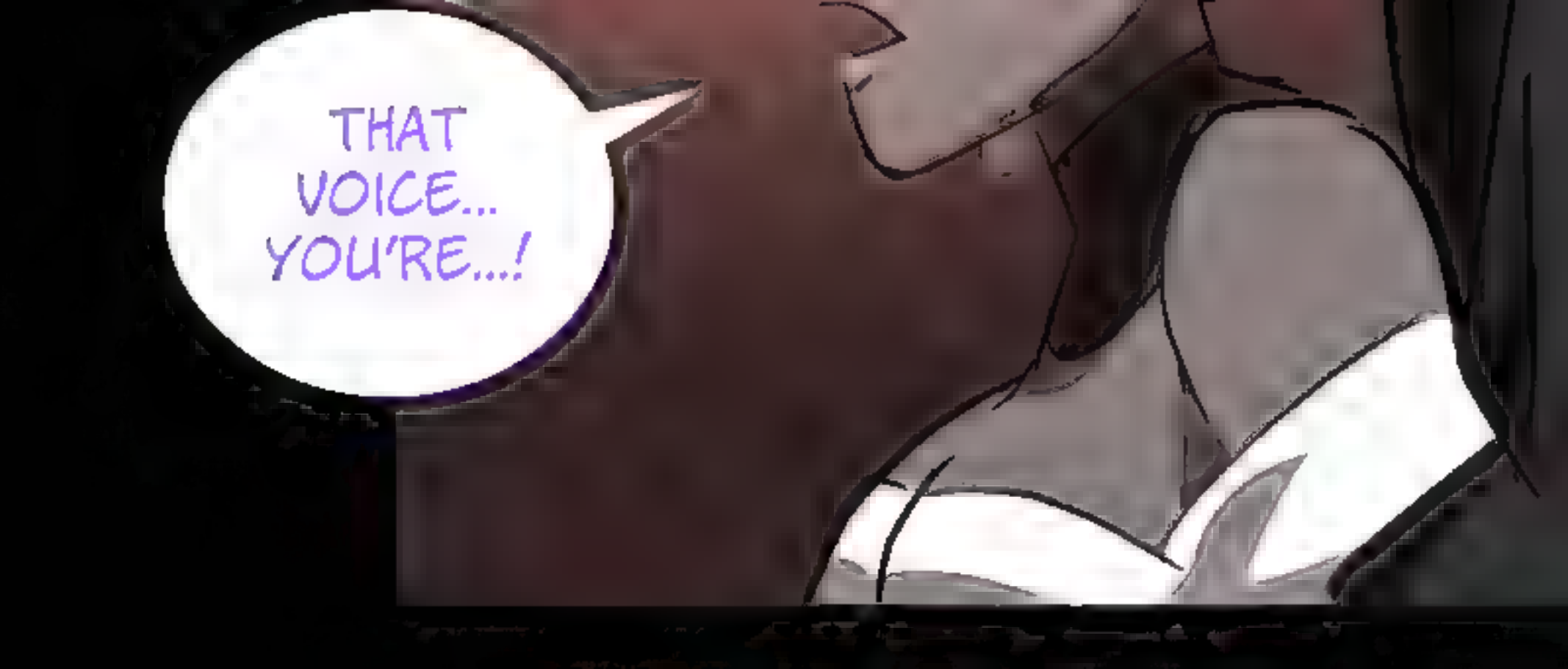
KODY...!


YOU'RE AWAKE...

WHAT
ARE YOU DOING
HERE?


WAITING FOR YOU NEPHTHYS

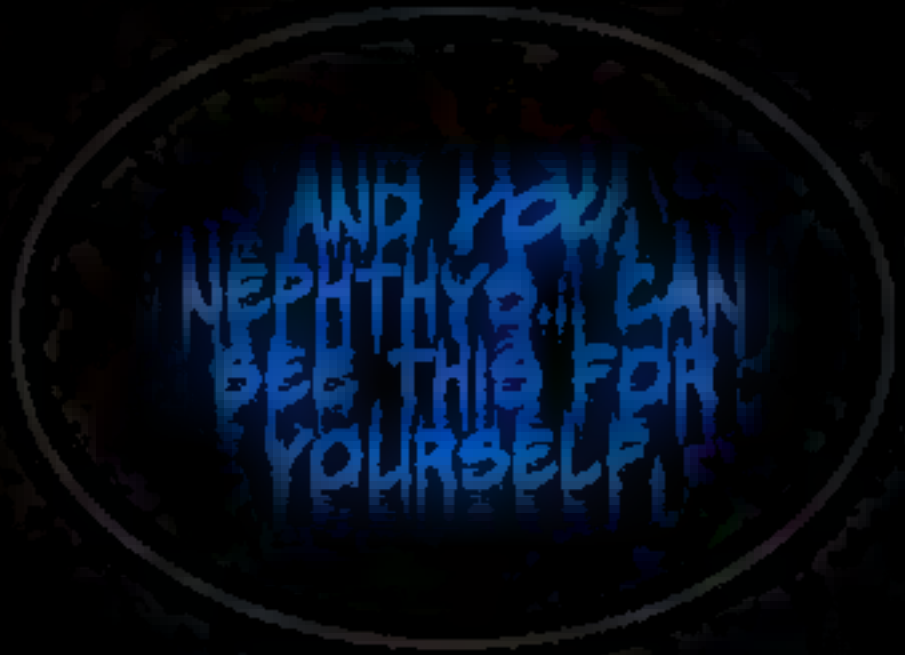


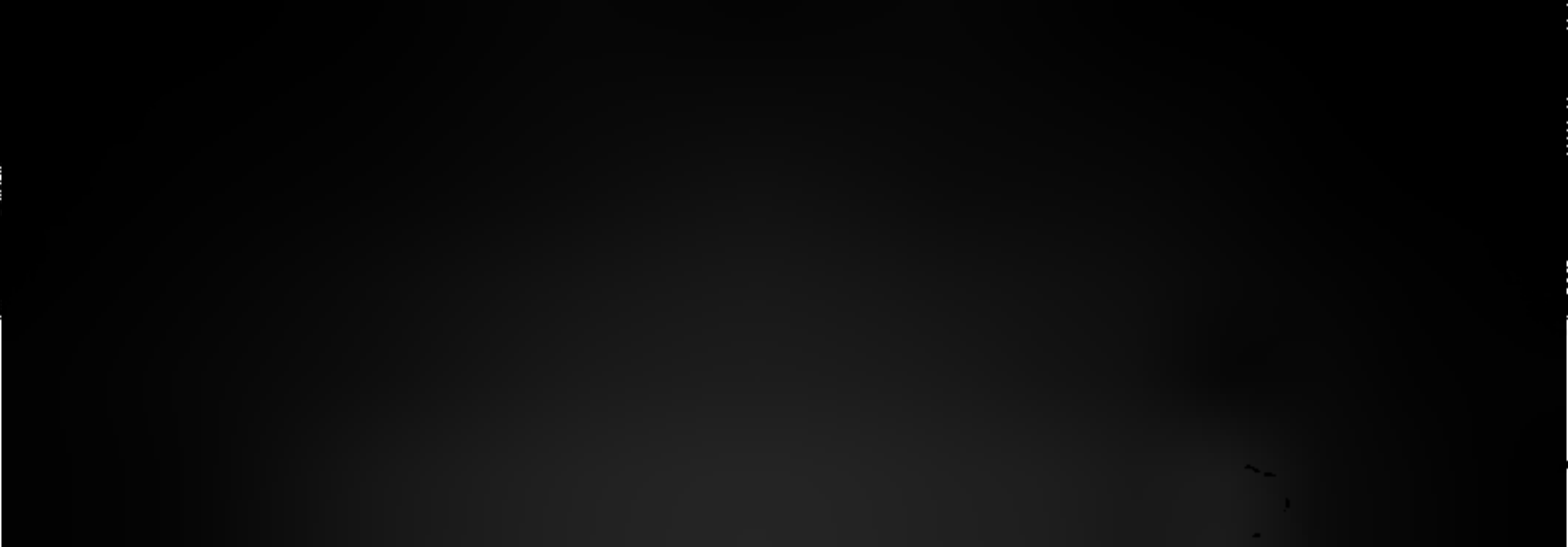

THAT VOICE... YOU'RE...!

UNFORTUNATELY, OUR CHOSEN EMBASSADOR HAS BEEN UNCOOPERATIVE.
BUT THANKS TO THIS COMPLIANT BODY WE CAN SPEAK TOGETHER AT LONG LAST!

WHILE YOUR KIND HAS SELFISHLY CLUNG TO LIFE WITH NO REGARD TO NATURAL ORDER.
YOU HAVE SPLINTERED AND DISFIGURED THE MAIN TIMELINE BEYOND ALL RECOGNITION.

WE ARE
HERE BECAUSE
YOUR TIME ENDED
LONG AGO


AND YOU
NEPHITE CAN
BE THIS FOR
YOURSELF!



ROOM of
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